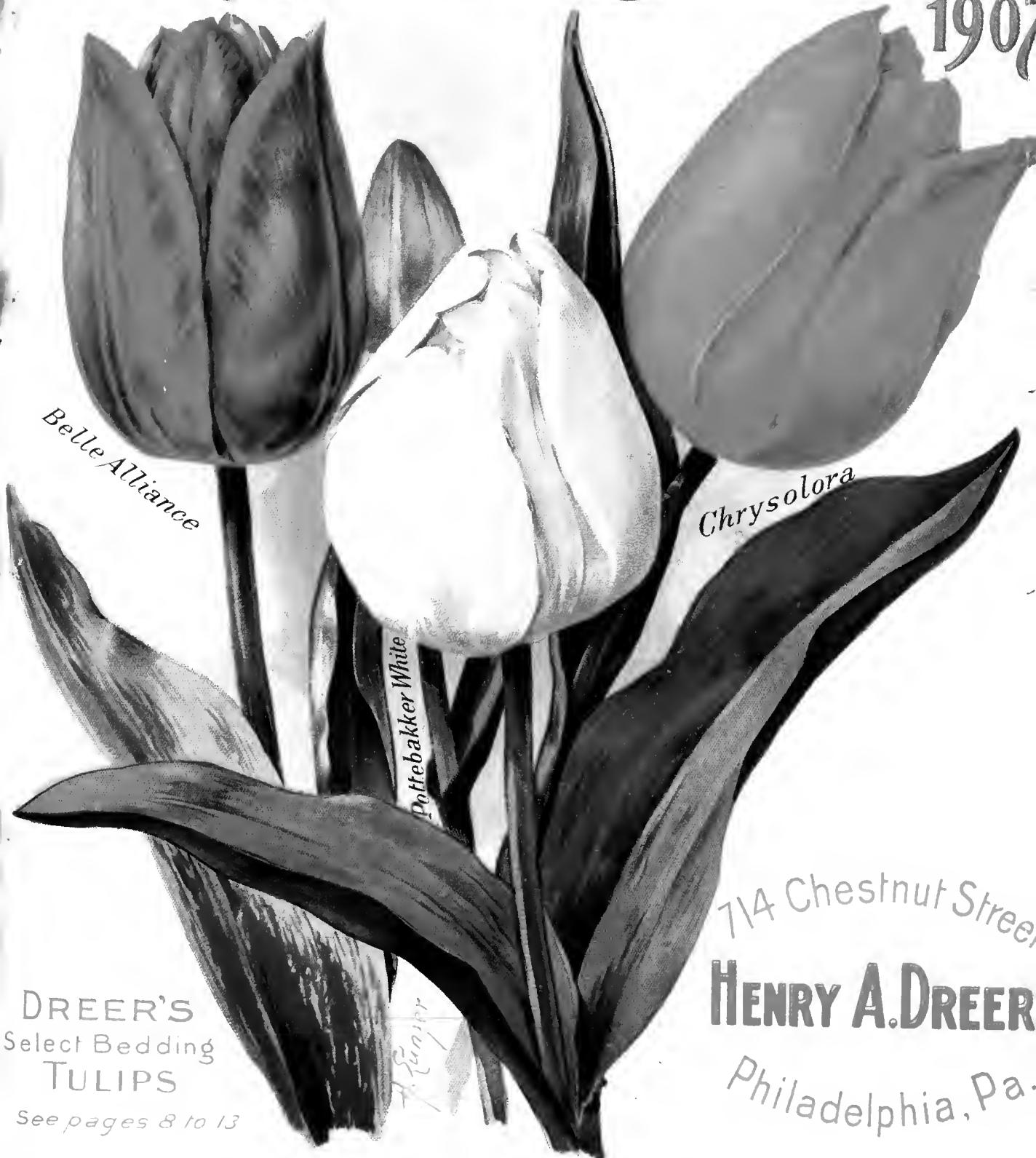


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1907



DREER'S  
Select Bedding  
TULIPS  
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714 Chestnut Street

HENRY A. DREER

Philadelphia, Pa.

# General Directions to Correspondents.



PHILADELPHIA, September, 1907.

The attention of our customers is respectfully called to the following directions, which will, if followed, be an aid to purchasers as well as to ourselves.

**ORDER EARLY.**—It will greatly facilitate shipments if orders are *sent early*. We aim to send off all orders the same or next day after receipt, but during the busy season it is nearly impossible—hence the advisability of ordering early.

**TIME OF SHIPMENT.**—The majority of Fall Bulbs are ready to ship by the second week in September; a few sorts, which are noted in Catalogue, do not mature until October and November. Unless otherwise instructed, we will send the early bulbs as soon as ready, and the late-maturing sorts when in good condition to ship.

**FORWARDING.**—We deliver, postage paid, to any post-office in the United States, Bulbs, Vegetable and Flower Seeds in packets, ounces and pounds, at catalogue prices, except where otherwise noted; but it will be much cheaper to the purchaser if goods are ordered to be sent by express or freight at their expense when desired in any quantity. Agricultural Seeds, Implements and other bulky and heavy goods can only be sent by freight or express at purchaser's expense.

**PLANTS.**—Small plants can be sent by mail if so desired, but we strongly advise our customers to have their plants sent by express at their expense, as larger and finer plants can be sent in this way, and "extras" are added to help defray charges, and we always ship in this way unless instructed to the contrary. Heavy plants, such as Azaleas, Camellias, Shrubs and similar large stock cannot be sent by mail. *Seeds, Plants and Bulbs are now taken by the Express Companies at a reduction of twenty per cent. from the regular rates for merchandise.*

**CANADA POSTAGE.**—Vegetable and Flower Seeds in packets and ounces mailed without extra cost. On everything else remit double the amount of postage required for delivery in U. S.

**LOCAL DELIVERY.**—We deliver goods free in Philadelphia, Germantown and Chestnut Hill. We also deliver free of charge by Package System (Baggage Master) to all points where this system is in operation, such goods as will be received by them.

**PACKING.**—No charge is made for boxes or packing, nor for delivery to Freight Depots or Express Offices in Philadelphia.

**REMITTANCES** should be made by Post-office Money Order, Drafts on Philadelphia or New York Banks, or Express Money Orders. We disclaim all responsibility when remittances are not made as above directed. Where it is not possible to obtain these, the letter should be registered. Postage stamps will be found a convenient method of remitting for small amounts and can be used by us to advantage. Coin should not be sent by mail.

**CASH WITH ORDER.**—Please send money with the order sufficient to cover the whole bill, to facilitate the execution of your orders. We decline sending goods "Collect on Delivery" unless remittance be made on account to guarantee acceptance.

**ERRORS.**—We exercise the utmost care in filling orders, striving to do a little more than we offer; yet in the press of business errors sometimes occur, in which event we wish to be promptly notified of the fact, and will make such corrections as will be satisfactory. Please keep copies of all your orders for comparison.

**SAFE ARRIVAL OF PACKAGES.**—We endeavor to secure the safe arrival of packages of Seeds, Bulbs and Plants in good condition in every case. If a package is injured or lost by express, we will replace it as soon as informed of the fact. Frequently it happens that orders never reach us, or are without signature. When customers fail to receive their packages in a reasonable time they should inform us, and at the same time send a copy of their order and any other information necessary to trace the goods. Complaints must be made on receipt of goods.

**NAME AND ADDRESS.**—Please remember to write your **NAME, POST-OFFICE, COUNTY and STATE**; also give number of street or P. O. Box as distinctly as possible; also the **NEAREST EXPRESS OFFICE**, or, if on a stage route, send us special directions, giving us the name of the Express Company delivering goods.

**NON-WARRANTY.**—Most of the failures with seeds, plants and bulbs are due to causes entirely beyond our control, such as unfavorable weather and soil conditions, too deep or too shallow planting, etc., which render it impossible for us to guarantee success, and although we take all possible care to supply only such stock as will, under proper conditions, produce satisfactory results, we still give no warranty as to description, quality or productiveness of any of the seeds, plants or bulbs we send out, and will not be in any way responsible for the crop, and every order for articles named in this Catalogue will be executed on these conditions only. It must, however, be plain to every one who gives the matter the slightest thought that it is to our best interests to send out only such stock as will not only grow but prove true to name and description.

## HENRY A. DREER,

714 Chestnut Street,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

## **DREER'S SELECT BEDDING TULIPS**

We show in colors on the cover of this catalogue six of the very best Tulips for bedding. On page 13 we offer a number of beds arranged with these varieties. For general list of Tulips see pages 8 to 13.

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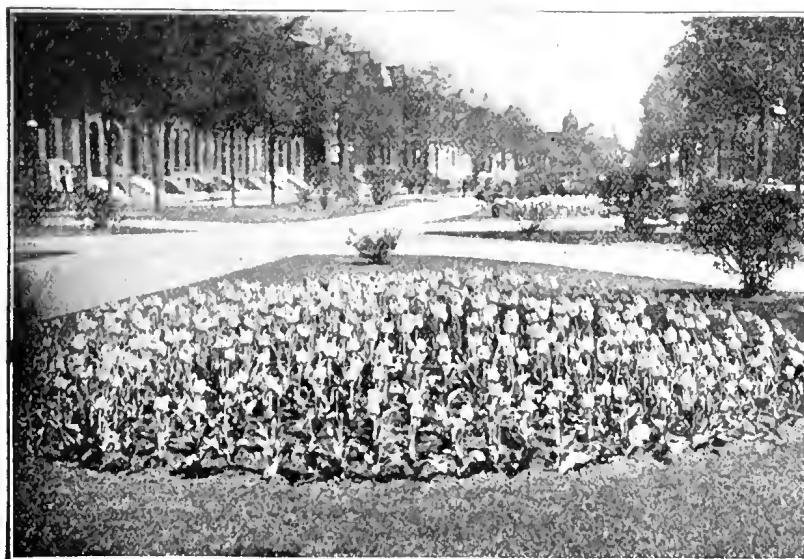
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# ..Dreer's Reliable Bulbs. .

**T**O succeed with bulbs it is necessary to begin right, by getting sound bulbs of good size, and we would warn intending purchasers against buying cheap, undersized bulbs and expect the fine results obtained from such as we offer. Our sources of supply are the best in this country and abroad, the leading growers of the world having for years supplied us with their choicest stock.



A BED OF COTTAGE MAID TULIPS (Baltimore, Md.).

To the lover of flowers there is no class of plants so much prized as those which are produced from bulbs. The reason is easily found, because within the bulbs are stored all the future glory of leaves and flowers, only requiring the simplest culture to develop them in their highest perfection. Success is therefore the rule.

Another reason why bulbs are prized so highly is that a large number of them produce their flowers in very early spring, when the rest of nature is asleep. Then it is that a clump of Snowdrops, Scillas, or Chionodoxas impart to the garden an air of warmth and cheer that cannot be accomplished in any other way. Following these modest flowers come the showier Crocus, Narcissus, Hyacinths, Tulips, etc., in all their dazzling colors, keeping up a continuous display well into the summer. With no other material can be secured such a wealth of charming flowers of infinite variety of form and coloring, with so little trouble and at so small an outlay.

## A FEW CULTURAL HINTS.

**Note.**—The following cultural hints apply especially to the latitude of Philadelphia. South of us it is quite possible to plant out bulbs as late as Christmas, while at points north of Philadelphia they should plant as early as possible after the first killing frost.

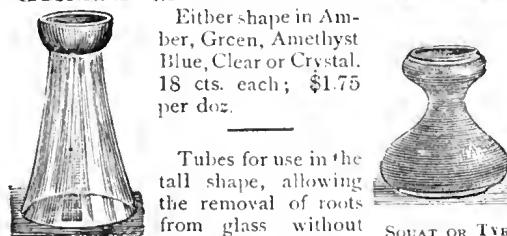
**WHEN TO PLANT.**—To the beginner we would emphasize the fact that *Autumn* and not *Springtime* is the time to plant all kinds of spring-flowering bulbs. The larger part of the bulbs offered in this Catalogue are ready to ship by the second week in September, and the sooner they are planted after that the greater will be the measure of success, more particularly those for indoor culture; therefore, **ORDER EARLY**. A few sorts, which are noted in the catalogue, do not mature until October and November, and can be sent at once on their arrival.

**OUTDOOR CULTURE.**—As a general rule, the bulbs should be planted in October and November, so that the roots may make a good growth before cold weather sets in, but they can be set out even later if the ground is not frozen. They require a moderately rich soil that has been well manured for previous crops, or else apply well-rotted cow or sheep manure or bone-meal; fresh manure is injurious to bulbs. The soil should be well drained, and no good results can be obtained without free drainage. A small quantity of sand or fine coal-ashes at the base of each bulb when planted in stiff soil will be beneficial. In planting the bulbs should be placed from an inch to four inches below the surface, according to the size of the bulb. A good rule to go by is to cover the bulbs with soil one and a half times their own depth.

When the ground freezes hard the bed should be covered with three or four inches of leaves or litter, which should be removed in early spring. Too early and heavy covering starts the tops prematurely, which are frequently injured in March by freezing and thawing. After flowering, if the beds are wanted for late spring plantings, take up the bulbs, tops and roots, and "heel in" in some corner of the garden until the bulbs mature, after which they should be spread out in an airy room to dry, and kept in a cool, dark place until time for replanting the following autumn.

**INDOOR CULTURE.**—Bulbs intended for blooming during the winter can be planted from September until November—the earlier the better—in pots, pans or boxes, and be left in the open air, covered with a few inches of ashes or soil, until the earth begins to freeze, and then placed in a cool greenhouse, cellar or room, at a temperature of 50 degrees. They will need, occasionally, moderate watering after they are brought inside. Or the pots, pans or boxes may be placed at once, after potting, in a cool, dark cellar, watering well and cover the same as above. The whole success of pot culture depends upon getting the roots well established in the pots, at a low temperature of say 40 to 50 degrees, before you begin to force the tops at 60 degrees or over. After this the bloom is easily developed by giving light and water, and one can have a supply of flowers from Christmas until after Easter by regulating the time of bringing them to the light.

### GLASSES for HYACINTHS.



Either shape in Amber, Green, Amethyst Blue, Clear or Crystal. 18 cts. each; \$1.75 per doz.

Tubes for use in the tall shape, allowing the removal of roots from glass without disturbance. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

Glasses can not be sent by mail.

## EARLY FRENCH ROMAN HYACINTHS.

A charming class of Hyacinths from the south of France quite distinct from the Dutch Hyacinths, producing graceful, delicately perfumed spikes of flowers. They force readily in the house. Three bulbs can be put in a 4-inch, or six bulbs in a 6-inch pot or pan, and as each bulb produces several spikes it makes a beautiful plant for conservatory or house decoration. Their treatment is identical with the Dutch Hyacinth (see page 4), except that we do not recommend them for outdoor planting.

**Early White.** Pure white, one of the most valuable plants for cut flowers. Millions of these are annually forced in the United States. If potted at intervals from September to November can be had in flower from November till April.

*Selected bulbs, 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100;  
\$27.50 per 1000.*

*Extra selected bulbs, 6 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per  
100; \$35.00 per 1000.*

*Mammoth bulbs, 7 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100;  
\$45.00 per 1000.*

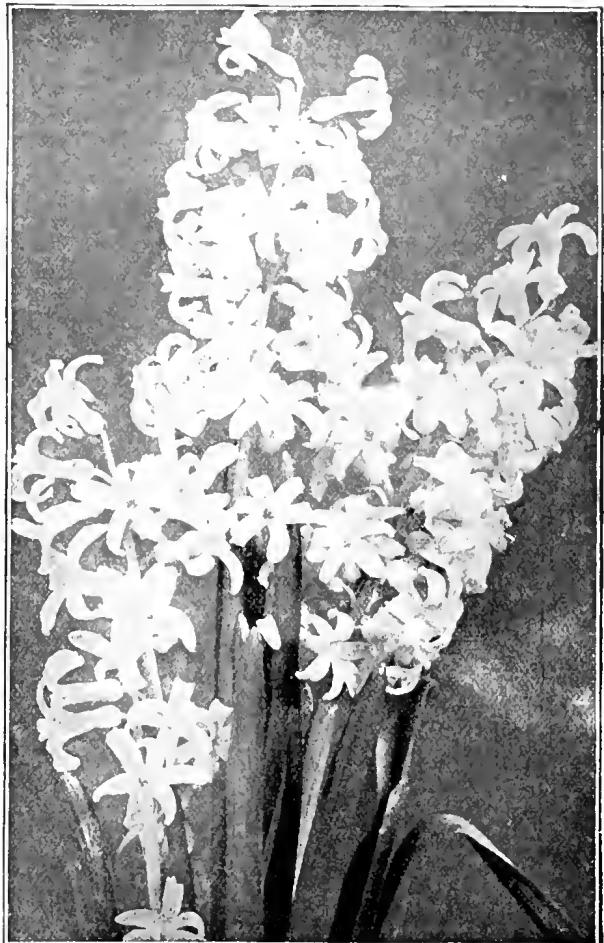
**Early Dark Rose.** Semi-double, deep pink. 5 cents each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100

**Early Light Rose.** Double, beautiful pale rose. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

**Early Blue.** Light blue, a fine contrast to the other colors. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

**Early White Italian or Parisian.** A little later in flowering than the Romans. Much larger spikes. 5 cents each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

~~Ad~~ 8 cts. per doz. for postage on French Roman Hyacinths, if wanted by mail. Single bulbs mailed free at prices given.



EARLY WHITE FRENCH ROMAN HYACINTHS.

## MINIATURE OR DUTCH ROMAN HYACINTHS.

These are small single-flowering Dutch Hyacinths, and quite distinct from the French Romans offered above, and excellent for growing in pots, pans or boxes, blooming early and freely. They may be planted close together in the pots, pans or boxes, or in beds in the open ground, with charming effect. We offer choice named varieties in Red, Pink, Rose, Blush, White, Lavender and Purple. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

~~Ad~~ If wanted by mail, add 6 cts. per dozen on Miniature Hyacinths for postage. Single bulbs mailed without additional cost.

### Collections of

## NAMED HYACINTHS.

### Dreer's Selection for Pot Culture.

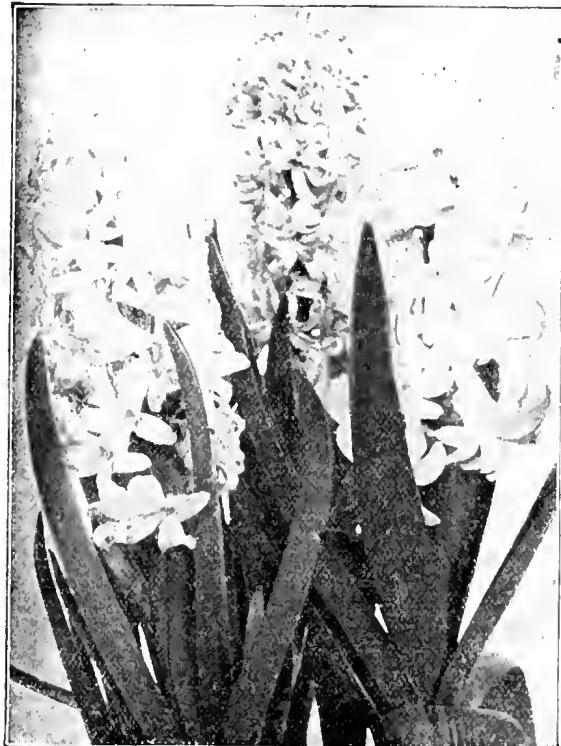
A selection of magnificent and distinct sorts, which may confidently be expected to produce spikes of exceptional size. For culture see page 4.

12 distinct varieties (6 singles and 6 doubles), our selection, \$1.00, or by mail \$1.15.

### Dreer's Selection for Growing in Water.

Many varieties do not succeed grown in this way. This selection is made up of sorts which are specially adapted for the purpose. For culture see page 4.

12 distinct varieties (9 singles and 3 doubles), our selection, \$1.00, or by mail \$1.15.



MINIATURE OR DUTCH ROMAN HYACINTHS.

## DUTCH HYACINTHS.

The Hyacinth is so well known and esteemed that any description of its many good qualities is needless. The list now offered includes nearly every shade of red, white, blue, yellow, etc.

**Outdoor Culture.**—The bulbs may be planted any time from October to December; the earlier the better. They succeed in any good, well-drained garden soil. Set the bulbs so that the tops will be 3 or 4 inches below the surface and 6 to 10 inches apart. Before very severe weather comes on, cover the beds with straw, leaves or manure to protect them from the frost, but care should be taken that this covering is not too thick, as the bulbs are as likely to be injured by being kept too warm as by freezing; this should be removed in March, or when danger from hard frost is past.

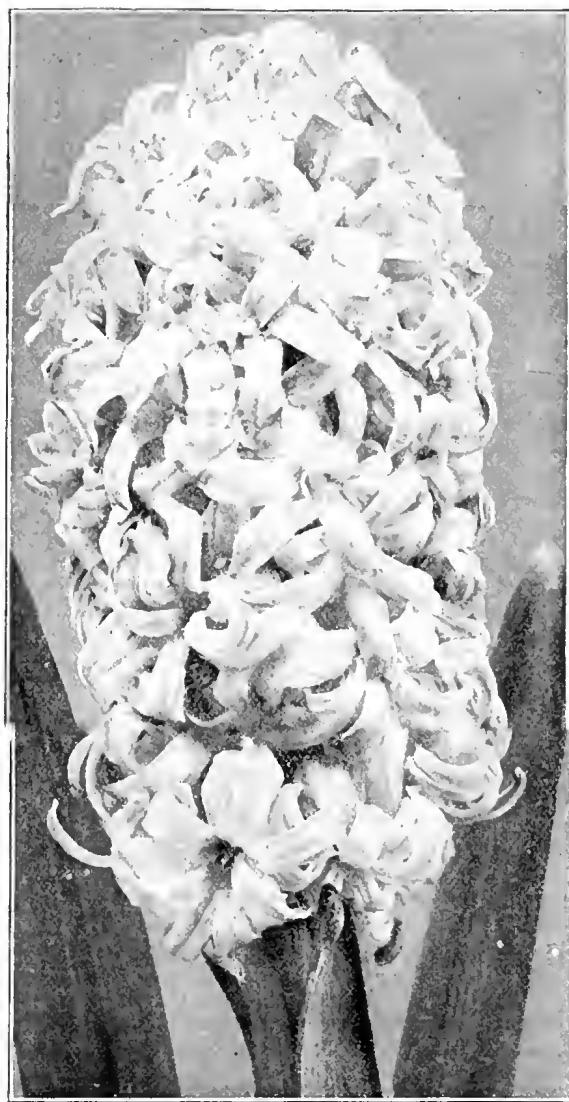
**Pot Culture.**—Plantings may be made at any time from September to December, though October is the best time. A light, rich soil, with a mixture of well-rotted cow or sheep manure, is most suitable. Use a 4 or 5-inch pot, and have the top of the bulb just above the surface. After potting give a good watering and set away in a cool cellar or outhouse and cover over with coal-ashes or some litter, until thoroughly rooted; this usually takes from 10 to 12 weeks. They may then be brought as wanted for a succession of flowers into a moderately warm, light room.

**Culture in Glasses.**—When it is desired to grow Hyacinths in water, they should be placed so that the base of the bulb *merely touches the water*. The glasses should then be set in a cool, dark closet, or in the cellar, until filled with roots, when they may be brought into the light. Give as much fresh air as possible without letting the plants stand in a draught, and as nearly as possible at a temperature of sixty degrees until the spikes are developed. To put them at once into a room with a temperature of say 70 degrees would cause them to flower prematurely.

### SELECT SECOND SIZE NAMED HYACINTHS.

These are smaller than our Extra Selected first size bulbs offered on next page, but are fine flowering stock, and admirably adapted for pot culture and high-grade bedding where distinct shades of color are desired. We can furnish them in the following grand varieties:

**Price** (except where noted), **8 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000;** by mail, 12 cts. per doz. extra.



SPIKE OF SINGLE HYACINTH.

#### SINGLE RED, ROSE AND PINK.

**Chas. Dickens.** Soft rose; exquisite. \$6.00 per 100.

**Gen. Pelissier.** Intense deep crimson-scarlet; fine bedding.

**Gertrude.** Deep rose; extra fine for bedding, having erect truss.

**Gigantea.** Soft blush pink; very large spike.

**Moreno.** Waxy pink; very large bells and truss.

**Roi des Belges.** Brilliant crimson-scarlet; a grand bedding sort.

#### Single Pure and Tinted White.

**Alba Superbissima.** Purest white; fine truss and bells.

**Baroness van Thuyll.** Pure white; one of the most popular for bedding.

**Grandeur a'Merveille.** The finest blush white variety; always does well.

**L'Innocence.** Purest white; extra fine spike; a grand variety. \$6.00 per 100.

**La Grandesse.** Magnificent clear white; considered the finest of all whites. \$6.00 per 100.

**Mme. van der Hoop.** Pure white; large bells; a splendid sort.

#### Single Blue, Lavender and Purple.

**Dalon van Thuyll.** Rich purple, having spikes.

**Czar Peter.** Light porcelain-blue; an exquisite shade. \$6.00 per 100.

**Grand Maitre.** Deep porcelain-blue; very large truss; strong and free grower.

**King of the Blues.** The finest of the rich deep-blue varieties.

**La Peyrouse.** Light porcelain-blue; very dainty.

**Queen of the Blues.** Clear silvery azure-blue; beautiful. \$6.00 per 100.

**Price**, any of the above (except where noted), **8 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.50 per 100; \$50.00 per 1000.**

*If by mail, add 12 cts. per doz. for postage.*

## Extra Selected First-size Named Hyacinths.

The varieties enumerated below have been selected for their distinct coloring and free-flowering qualities, and are all **selected first-size bulbs**, specially suited for growing in pots or glasses or for high-grade bedding. For cultural notes see page 4. **Price.**—All the Extra Selected First Size Named Hyacinths (except where noted) at the uniform price of **10 cts. each**; **\$1.00 per dozen.** If wanted by mail, add 18 cts. per dozen for postage. Single bulbs mailed free at prices given.

### SINGLE RED, ROSE AND PINK.

**Baron van Thuyll.** A beautiful delicate pink; fine spikes. **Cardinal Wiseman.** Charming light rose pink. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **Charles Dickens.** Soft rose, exquisite shade; very large spikes. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **Fabiola.** Rose-pink, striped carmine; fine bells and spike. **General Pellissier.** Intense deep crimson-scarlet; compact spike; a fine bedder. **Gigantea.** One of the best blush-pink varieties. Very large truss. **Gertrude.** Deep rose; large compact truss. A splendid variety for bedding, as it stands very erect. **Koh-l-Noor.** Brilliant salmon-pink, large spike, semi-double. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. **Moreno.** Waxy pink; very large truss and bells; splendid sort for pots. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

### SINGLE PURE AND TINTED WHITE.

**Alba Superbissima.** Of purest white; fine truss. **Albertine.** Pure white; an easy variety to force. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **Baroness van Thuyll.** Pure white, splendid forcing and bedder. **Grandeur à Merveille.** Finest blush-white; large truss of bloom. **Grand Vedette.** Snow white; early. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **L'Innocence.** Purest white, extra fine spike. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. **La Franchise.** Blush white; very large bulb. **La Grandesse.** This is the finest pure white. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. **Mme. van der Hoop.** Pure white; very large bells. This is one of the best whites. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **Mina.** Pure white; large bells; fine. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **Voitare.** Creamy white; large bells.

### SINGLE BLUE, LAVENDER, PURPLE, ETC.

**Baron van Thuyll.** Fine purple; very large. **Blondin.** Beautiful shade of azure blue. **Chas. Dickens.** Porcelain-blue, shaded darker. **Czar Peter.** Finest light porcelain-blue. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. **Grand Maitre.** Deep porcelain blue, very large truss. **King of the Blues.** This is the finest of the deep blue varieties. **La Peyrouse.** Light porcelain-blue. **Leondas.** Light blue; fine spike. **Marie.** Rich purple-blue; enormous spike. **Pleneman.** Porcelain blue; large spike. **Queen of the Blues.** Clear silvery azure-blue; a grand sort. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **William I.** Very dark purple. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

### SINGLE YELLOW SHADES.

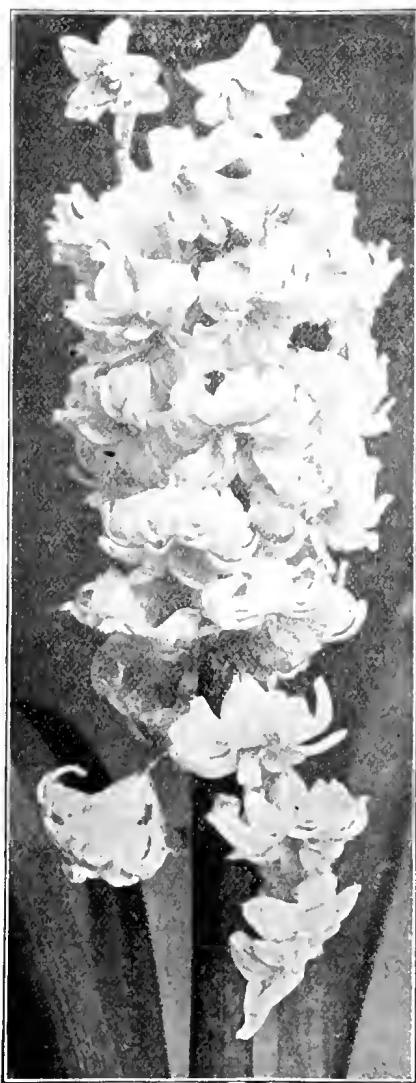
**Citronnere.** Fine citron-yellow. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **Ida.** The best pure yellow; fine spike. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **La Plule d'Or.** Pale yellow. **King of the Yellows.** Fine bright yellow. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz. **Obellsque.** Rich deep yellow. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. **Sonora.** Buff; large bells and spike. **Price.**—All of the Extra Selected First Size Named Hyacinths (except where noted) at the uniform price of **10 cts. each**; **\$1.00 per dozen.**; by mail, 18 cts. per dozen, extra.

**Norma.** Coral pink. One of the best for early forcing; a great favorite.

**Robert Stelzer.** Deep rose-carmine; compact truss. **Roi des Belges.** Brilliant crimson-scarlet; a grand bedder. **Sultan's Favorite.** Blush pink with darker stripes.



SPIKE OF SINGLE HYACINTH.



SPIKE OF DOUBLE HYACINTH.

**Price:** All of the extra selected first size named Hyacinths (except where noted) at the uniform price of **10 cts. each**; **\$1.00 per doz.** If wanted by mail, add 18 cts. per dozen for postage. No extra charge for mailing single bulbs.

## Dreer's Mixed Dutch Hyacinths.

We offer this season two grades of mixtures—our Popular and Rainbow. Both are good, and we feel confident that nothing better can be had at the prices quoted. We recommend the single-flowering sorts as giving the best and most uniform results.

### Dreer's "Popular" Mixture.

A fine grade of bulbs at a popular price. The bulbs used in making this mixture are 15 centimeters—nearly 6 inches—in circumference, and are adapted for bedding and outdoor planting of all kinds. Can also be used for pot culture, but we strongly advise the use of our Selected Second Size and Extra Selected First Size named sorts offered on pages 4 and 5 for this purpose.

**Dark Red shades mixed.**

**Rose and Pink shades mixed.**

**Red, all shades mixed.**

**Pure White sorts mixed.**

**Blush and Tinted White sorts mixed.**

**Dark Blue and Purple shades mixed.**

**Light Blue and Lavender shades mixed.**

**Blue, all shades mixed.**

**Yellow, all shades mixed.**

**All colors mixed.**

If by mail, add 10 cts. per dozen for postage.

### EXTRA SELECTED FIRST SIZE DOUBLE NAMED HYACINTHS.

While Double Hyacinths do not, as a rule, produce as fine spikes as the single sorts, especially when grown in water, yet they are exceedingly handsome, and deserve extensive cultivation. The varieties listed below are those which we have found by actual tests to be the most satisfactory.

#### DOUBLE RED ROSE, Etc.

**Bouquet Royal.** Salmon pink, red centre.

**Bouquet Tendre.** Dark carmine red, good spike.

**Grootvorst.** Very fine blush pink; large, compact spike.

**Lord Wellington.** The finest double pink. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

**Noble Par Merite.** Deep rose; extra double.

**Prince of Orange.** Rosy pink; fine spike.

#### DOUBLE PURE AND TINTED WHITE.

**Bouquet Royal.** Pure white; good spike; extra.

**Duchess of Bedford.** Pure white.

**La Tour d'Auvergne.** Earliest pure white; grand spike; extra.

**La Virginite.** Blush white; fine spike.

**Non Plus Ultra.** Pure white, with violet centre.

**Prince of Waterloo.** Pure white; large bells and spike. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

#### DOUBLE BLUE, LAVENDER, PURPLE, Etc.

**Blocksberg.** Finest light blue; very large, compact spike.

**Garrick.** Deep azure blue; very large spike.

**General Antlneck.** Light blue; good truss.

**Prince of Saxe Weimar.** Deep purple.

**Rembrandt.** Light porcelain blue.

**Van Speyk.** Fine porcelain blue; very large truss. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

#### DOUBLE YELLOW.

**Bouquet Orange.** Dark orange-salmon. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

**Jaune Supreme.** Citron-yellow. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

**Goethe.** Light yellow; large spike.

**Minerva.** Orange yellow; extra large and fine flower; semi-double. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.

**Ophir d'Or.** Citron-yellow, with purple centre.

### Dreer's "Rainbow" Mixture.

Only the best named sorts are used in making this really fine mixture. The bulbs average over 6 inches in circumference, and can be depended on to produce fine results, either planted out of doors or in pots in the house.

**Dark Red shades mixed.**

**Rose and Pink shades mixed.**

**Red, all shades mixed.**

**Pure White sorts mixed.**

**Blush and Tinted White sorts mixed.**

**Dark Blue and Purple shades mixed.**

**Light Blue and Lavender shades mixed.**

**Blue, all shades mixed.**

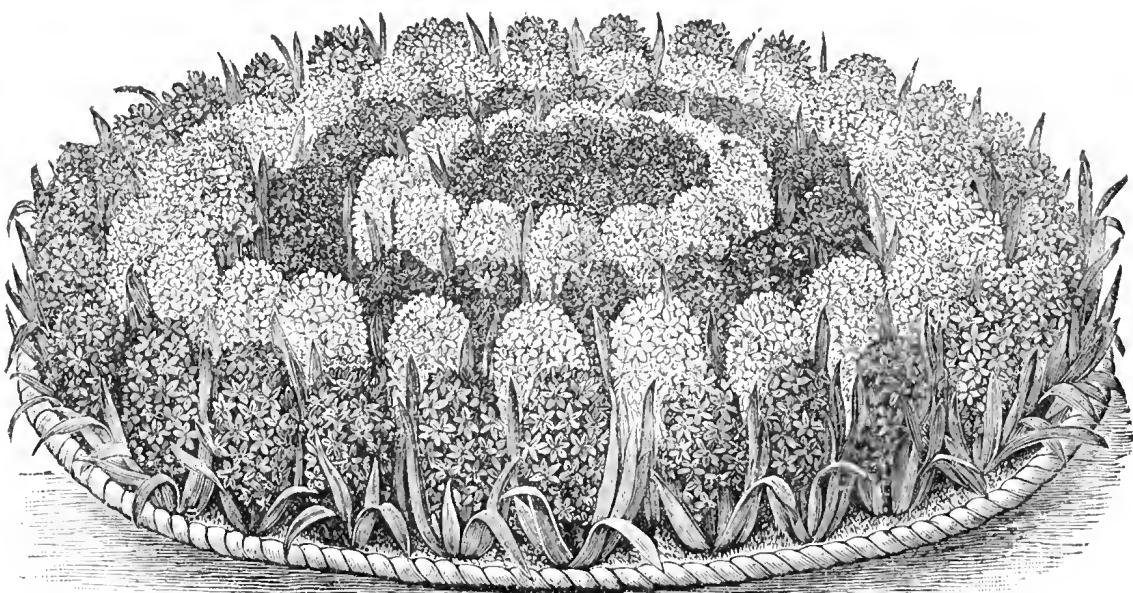
**Yellow, all shades mixed.**

**All colors mixed.**

Price, any  
of the shades  
in either  
Single or  
Double, 7  
cts. each; 65  
cts. per doz.;  
\$5.00 per  
100; \$45.00  
per 1000.

If by mail, add 12 cts. per dozen for postage.

## Collections of Hyacinths for Beds.



CIRCULAR BED OF HYACINTHS, "A" AND "B."

FEW bulbs can be used for bedding with such good effect as Hyacinths, and every spring they form one of the features of the principal public parks, and, considering the little trouble necessary for their care and the low cost of planting a good-sized bed, it is a matter of comment that larger plantings are not seen in private gardens. While mixed Hyacinths in the separate colors (offered on page 6) are well adapted for bedding purposes, yet where a special design is wanted in which the colors must be sharp and distinct, we advise using the Extra Selected 1st size or the Select 2d size named varieties. Not only do you then get the requisite colors, but at the same time much finer individual spikes of flower, which well repays for the slight increase in cost.

The sizes of the following beds are 6 feet in diameter. Plant outside row 3 inches from edge of bed; each bed requires 108 bulbs, planted 6 inches apart each way.

### CIRCULAR BED OF HYACINTHS "A."

1st row. (outside)	33	Roi des Belges.	Crimson scarlet.
2d "	27	L'Innocence.	Purest white.
3d "	21	King of the Blues.	Rich deep blue.
4th "	15	Gertrude.	Deep rose.
5th " (centre)	12	Grand Maitre.	Porcelain blue.

Price: Extra Selected 1st size bulbs, \$7.50;  
Select 2d size bulbs, \$5.50.

### CIRCULAR BED OF HYACINTHS "C."

Spaces No. 1	48	L'Innocence.	Purest white.
" " 2	30	Gertrude.	Deep rose.
" " 3	30	Grand Flaire.	Porcelain blue.

Price: Extra Selected 1st size bulbs, \$7.50;  
Select 2d size bulbs, \$5.50.

### CIRCULAR BED OF HYACINTHS "B."

1st row. (outside)	33	King of the Blues.	Rich deep blue.
2d "	27	Grand A'Merveille.	Blush white.
3d "	21	Roi des Belges.	Crimson scarlet.
4th "	15	L'Innocence.	Purest white.
5th " (centre)	12	Grand Maitre.	Porcelain blue.

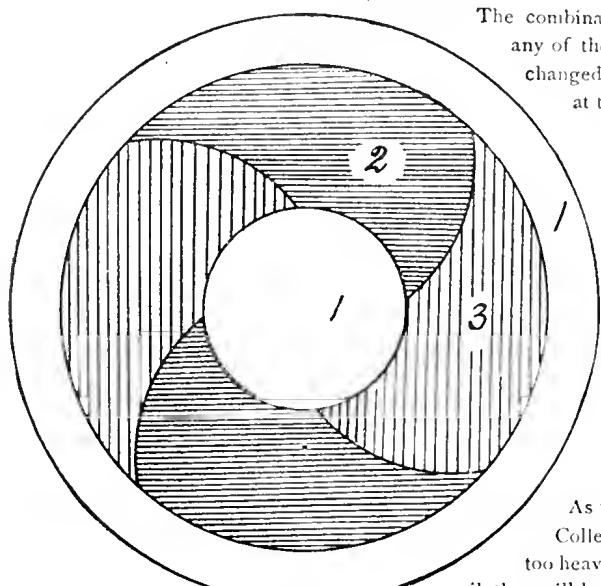
Price: Extra Selected 1st size bulbs, \$7.50;  
Select 2d size bulbs, \$5.50.

### CIRCULAR BED OF HYACINTHS "D."

Spaces No. 1	32	L'Innocence.	Purest white.
" " 2	38	King of the Blues.	Rich deep blue
" " 3	33	Roi des Belges.	Crimson scarlet.

Price: Extra Selected 1st size bulbs, \$7.50;  
Select 2d size bulbs, \$5.50.

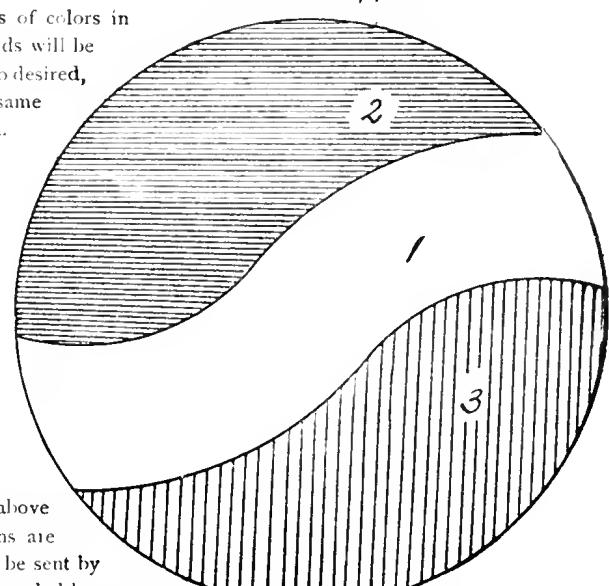
The combinations of colors in  
any of the beds will be  
changed, if so desired,  
at the same  
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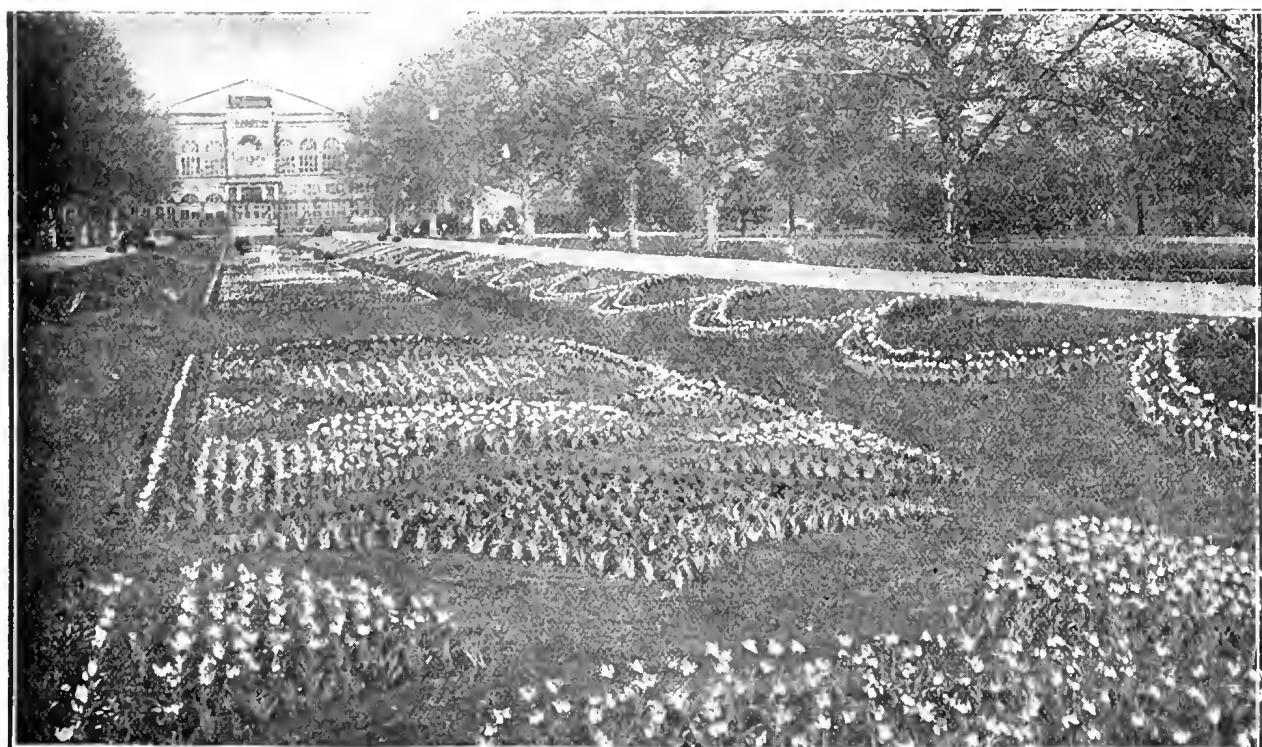


As the above  
Collections are  
too heavy to be sent by  
mail, they will be forwarded by express  
or freight at the customer's expense.

CIRCULAR BED OF HYACINTHS "C."

CIRCULAR BED OF HYACINTHS "D."





OUR TULIPS IN THE SUNKEN GARDEN, FAIRMOUNT PARK, SPRING, 1907, FROM A PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY STAFF ARTIST PHILADELPHIA PRESS.

## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS.

THE Tulip is always attractive from its beauty and brilliancy of color, and is one of the popular early spring flowers. A few bulbs scattered here and there produce but little effect, but when planted in masses, or in small groups, they become at once grand and brilliant, and eclipse, in variety of coloring and picturesque effect, almost any other flower. Our collection is unusually fine, embracing all the choicest varieties. Tulips require cultural treatment similar to Hyacinths; the bulbs, being smaller, should not be planted so deep. All the varieties named below are well adapted for pot culture, especially the Duc Van Thol sorts, which can be forced into bloom for Christmas with but little trouble. Put 3 bulbs in 4 inch pot. We show in colors on the cover of this catalogue six of the very best varieties, sorts which always give satisfactory results.

The figures prefixed indicate the average height in inches of each variety.

 If Tulips are wanted by mail, add at the rate of 5 cents per dozen for postage.

Height, inches.	Per Doz.	Per 100	Height, inches.	Per Doz.	Per 100
8. <b>Artus.</b> Bright deep scarlet; very showy. \$15.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	\$1.75	10. <b>Joost van Vondel.</b> Deep blood-red; light feathering of white at base. \$16.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	\$1.75
10. <b>Belle Alliance.</b> Bright crimson scarlet; fine bedder. \$25.00 per 1000 . . . . .	40	3.00	10. <b>Joost van Vondel White.</b> The finest of all white Tulips; perfect in every way. \$35.00 per 1000 . . . . .	60	1.00
10. <b>Canary Bird.</b> Clear yellow; early. \$15.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	1.75	15. <b>Kaiser Kroon.</b> Bright crimson, margined golden-yellow; extra large and grand in every way. \$20.00 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2.25
10. <b>Chrysolora.</b> Golden-yellow; fine large flower; finest yellow bedder. \$12 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1.50	9. <b>L'Immaculee.</b> Pure white; early. \$10.00 per 1000 . . . . .	20	1.25
8. <b>Cottage Maid.</b> White, bordered pink. \$13.00 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1.50	10. <b>La Reine</b> (Queen Victoria). Pure white, tinted rose; fine. \$12.00 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1.50
10. <b>Couleur Cardinal.</b> Rich cardinal. \$25.00 per 1000 . . . . .	60	4.00	10. <b>Ophir d'Or.</b> Golden yellow; extra large flower. \$18.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	2.00
7. <b>Crlimson King.</b> Crimson. \$17 per 1000 . . . . .	30	2.00	12. <b>Pink Beauty.</b> Exquisite deep pink, flushed snowy white on outer petals; rare and beautiful . . . . .	2.00	15.00
6. <b>Duc van Thol.</b> Red and yellow. \$12.00 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1.50	12. <b>Pottebakker, White.</b> One of the finest, either for forcing or bedding. \$17 per 1000 . . . . .	30	2.00
7. <b>Duc van Thol.</b> Scarlet. \$18 per 1000 . . . . .	30	2.00	12. <b>Pottebakker, Yellow.</b> Very large and fine yellow. \$17.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	2.00
7. " " " Crimson. \$12 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1.50	12. <b>Pottebakker, Scarlet.</b> \$20.00 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2.25
7. " " " Rose. \$20 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2.25	8. <b>Princess Marianne.</b> White, shaded rose; fine bedder. \$12.00 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1.50
7. " " " White. \$20 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2.25	9. <b>Prince of Austria.</b> Orange scarlet; a striking color; sweet scented. \$30.00 per 1000 . . . . .	45	3.25
7. " " " Yellow. \$22 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2.50	10. <b>Proserpine.</b> Glossy carmine-rose; large and beautiful. \$35.00 per 1000 . . . . .	60	4.00
9. <b>Duchesse de Parma.</b> Red, bordered orange, effect orange-scarlet; very bright. \$15.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	1.75			
9. <b>Grand Duc de Russie.</b> White ground flaked with rosy-purple. \$20.00 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2.25			
7. <b>Grand Master of Malta.</b> Crimson rose. \$20.00 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2.25			
8. <b>Golden Standard.</b> Crimson, flaked and feathered golden yellow. \$35.00 per 1000 . . . . .	60	4.00			

Six of any one kind at dozen rate; 25 or more at 100 rate; 250 or more at 1000 rate.

## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

(Continued).

Height. Inches		Per Doz.	Per 100.
10.	<b>Rosa Mundi.</b> Rose and white. \$12.00 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1 50
6.	<b>Rose Griselin.</b> The finest bright pink bedding Tulip. \$18.00 per 1000. . . . .	30	2 00
8.	<b>Rose Luisante.</b> Brilliant deep pink; fine for forcing or bedding. \$35.00 per 1000.	60	4 00
9.	<b>Silver Standard.</b> White, flaked and striped with crimson; fine. \$18.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	2 00
12.	<b>Thos. Moore.</b> Rich orange-scarlet; sweet- scented. \$17.00 per 1000 . . . . .	30	2 00
8.	<b>Van der Neer.</b> Rosy violet. \$22.00 per 1000 . . . . .	35	2 50
12.	<b>Vermilion Brilliant.</b> Rich vermillion; the finest scarlet. \$30.00 per 1000 . . . . .	45	3 25
12.	<b>White Hawk (Albion).</b> A beautiful, large pure white; fine for bedding or forcing. \$22.00 per 1000. . . . .	35	2 50
9.	<b>Wouverman.</b> Purple violet; extra large. \$22.00 per 1000. . . . .	35	2 50
12.	<b>Yellow Prince.</b> Golden-yellow; large; sweet-scented; fine forcing. \$12.00 per 1000 . . . . .	25	1 50

### Collections of Single Early Tulips.

A border planted with one of the following collections  
forms one of the most interesting and educational features  
of the garden:

1	each of the 40 named sorts for . . . . .	\$ 1 75
3	" " " " " . . . . .	3 75
6	" " " " " . . . . .	7 00
12	" " " " " . . . . .	12 50
25	" " " " " . . . . .	24 00



SINGLE EARLY TULIPS KAISER KROON (offered on page 8).

## MIXED SINGLE TULIPS.

If wanted by mail, add 5 cts. per doz. to  
Tulips for postage.

There are great differences in the various  
grades of mixed Tulips. As a rule  
they are made up by the growers in Hol-  
land out of cheap, undesirable or surplus  
lots, and little attention given to variety  
of color or time of flowering.

### Dreer's Superb Mixture of Single Early Tulips.

We are importing a large quantity of  
fine-named varieties to make this mixture.  
It will contain a carefully balanced range  
of colors, and must not be compared with  
mixtures as usually sent out. 20 cts. per  
doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$9.00 per 1000.

### Dreer's Fine Quality Mixture of Single Early Tulips.

A first class mixture, prepared for us  
by one of the leading Dutch growers. 15  
cts. per doz.; 80 cts. per 100; \$7.00 per  
1000.

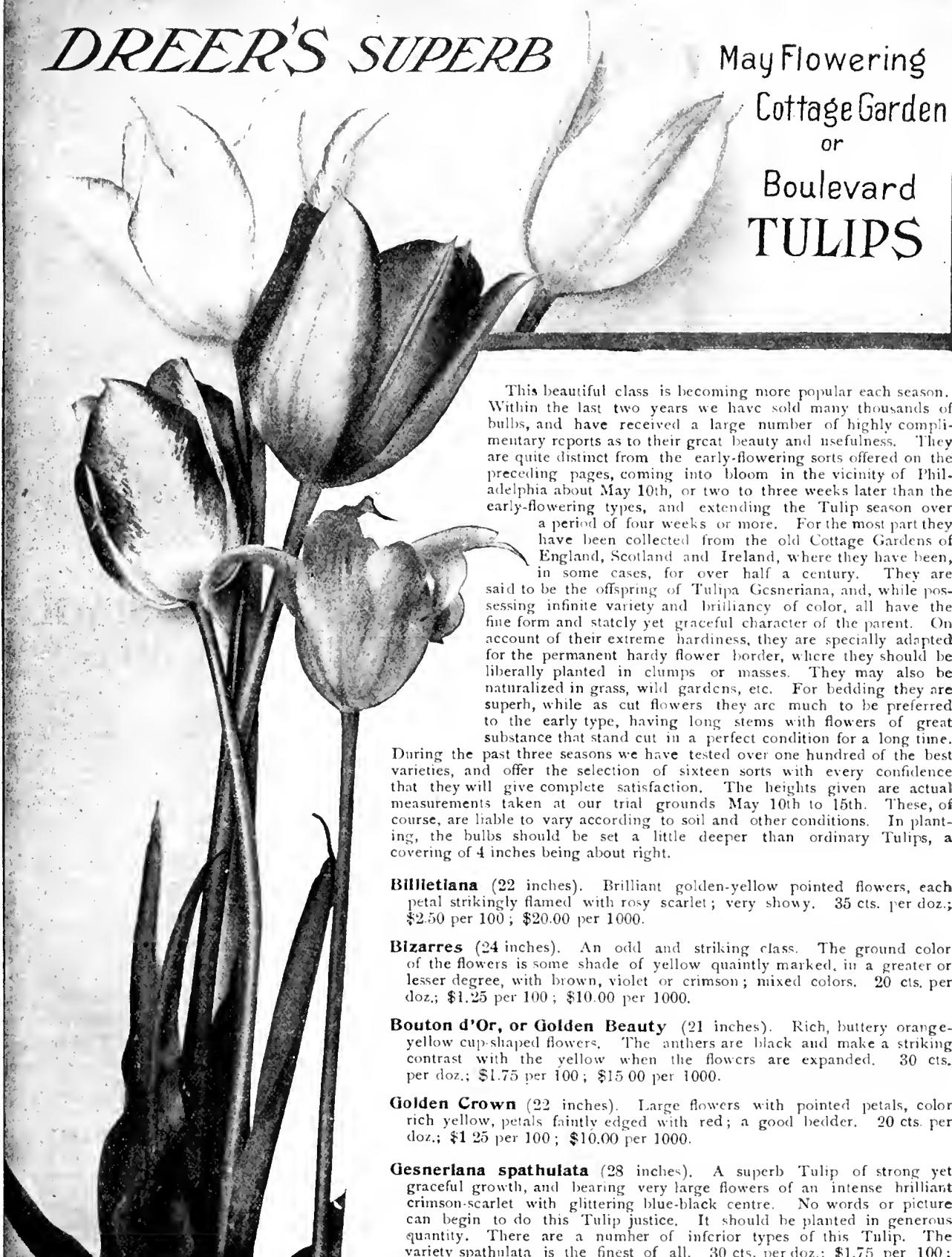
### TULIPA GREIGI.

An exceptionally handsome and distinct  
early-flowering species. The beautifully-  
formed flowers are of large size and of a  
gorgeous orange-scarlet color, so brilliant  
as to at once attract the attention. The  
plant is quite ornamental on account of  
its broad, spotted foliage; very choice. 12  
cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.



SINGLE EARLY TULIPS LA REINE (offered on page 8).

## DREER'S SUPERB

May Flowering  
Cottage Garden  
or  
Boulevard  
TULIPS

This beautiful class is becoming more popular each season. Within the last two years we have sold many thousands of bulbs, and have received a large number of highly complimentary reports as to their great beauty and usefulness. They are quite distinct from the early-flowering sorts offered on the preceding pages, coming into bloom in the vicinity of Philadelphia about May 10th, or two to three weeks later than the early-flowering types, and extending the Tulip season over a period of four weeks or more. For the most part they have been collected from the old Cottage Gardens of England, Scotland and Ireland, where they have been, in some cases, for over half a century. They are said to be the offspring of *Tulipa Gesneriana*, and, while possessing infinite variety and brilliancy of color, all have the fine form and stately yet graceful character of the parent. On account of their extreme hardiness, they are specially adapted for the permanent hardy flower border, where they should be liberally planted in clumps or masses. They may also be naturalized in grass, wild gardens, etc. For bedding they are superb, while as cut flowers they are much to be preferred to the early type, having long stems with flowers of great substance that stand cut in a perfect condition for a long time. During the past three seasons we have tested over one hundred of the best varieties, and offer the selection of sixteen sorts with every confidence that they will give complete satisfaction. The heights given are actual measurements taken at our trial grounds May 10th to 15th. These, of course, are liable to vary according to soil and other conditions. In planting, the bulbs should be set a little deeper than ordinary Tulips, a covering of 4 inches being about right.

**Bilbietiana** (22 inches). Brilliant golden-yellow pointed flowers, each petal strikingly flamed with rosy scarlet; very showy. 35 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000.

**Bizarres** (24 inches). An odd and striking class. The ground color of the flowers is some shade of yellow quaintly marked, in a greater or lesser degree, with brown, violet or crimson; mixed colors. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Bouton d'Or, or Golden Beauty** (21 inches). Rich, buttery orange-yellow cup-shaped flowers. The anthers are black and make a striking contrast with the yellow when the flowers are expanded. 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**Golden Crown** (22 inches). Large flowers with pointed petals, color rich yellow, petals faintly edged with red; a good bedder. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Gesneriana spathulata** (28 inches). A superb Tulip of strong yet graceful growth, and bearing very large flowers of an intense brilliant crimson-scarlet with glittering blue-black centre. No words or picture can begin to do this Tulip justice. It should be planted in generous quantity. There are a number of inferior types of this Tulip. The variety *spathulata* is the finest of all. 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$16.00 per 1000.

A GROUP OF MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS

**MAY-FLOWERING, COTTAGE GARDEN OR BOULEVARD TULIPS—(Continued).**

**Golden Eagle** (22 inches). Bright golden-yellow, goblet-shaped flowers, slightly sweet-scented; very bright. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

**La Merveille** (18 inches). A magnificent variety with very large, artistic, sweet-scented blossoms and of a striking color, being salmony-rose overlaid with orange red, very effective in beds or borders. 40 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Le Reve** (Hobbema) (15 inches). When first opening a dull, smoky color developing into the most beautiful old-rose color imaginable; a handsome flower of great texture, remaining in perfection for a long time. \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

**Orange Globe** (26 inches). A gloriously brilliant orange red, marked at the edge of the petals with chrome yellow, which lights up the flower wonderfully; a strong, vigorous grower; fine for any purpose. 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

**Parisian Yellow** (28 inches). A beautiful large pure yellow of exquisite shade and shape; grand in every way, and of special value for cutting. 60 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$35.00 per 1000.

**Picotee, or Nalden's Blush** (24 inches). Pure white, daintily edged with pink, which suffuses the entire flower as it ages; a beautiful cut flower. 35 cts. per doz.; \$2.25 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000.

**Rose Byblœmen** (24 inches). Mostly white ground, flaked with rose, scarlet or crimson, but also self or solid colored sorts in various shades of rose; mixed colors. 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**Shandon Bells, Isabella, or Blushing Bride** (18 inches). A pretty variety, opening out a creamy-yellow tinted with blush, turning, as the flower ages, to a carmine pink; a charming transformation. 35 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100; \$22.00 per 1000.

**Snowdon** (20 inches). Beautiful goblet-shaped flowers of snow white, suffused on the margin with delicate rosy-lavender; a rare color combination and much admired as a cut flower. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

**Summer Beauty** (24 inches). White, beautifully striped and splashed with rosy-crimson; a fine large, showy flower. 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.



GROUP OF BIZARRE AND BYBLÆMEN LATE TULIPS.

**Violet Byblœmen** (22 inches). Made up of solid purple, violet and heliotrope shades, also flakings of these colors on a white ground, mixed colors. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

**Cholcest Mixed.** This is a splendid mixture made up out of over fifty sorts of all colors and contains a good percentage of sweet-scented varieties. 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**Collections of May-flowering, Cottage Garden or Boulevard Tulips.**

The best way to get acquainted with the beauties and merits of this beautiful class is to grow one of the collections offered below.

3 each of the 16 sorts, 48 bulbs.....	\$1.75	12 each of the 16 sorts, 192 bulbs.....	\$6.00
6 " " 16 " 96 " .....	3.25	25 " " 16 " 400 " .....	11.00

**DARWIN TULIPS (May-flowering).**

Handsome May-flowering class and quite distinct in style of growth from the other late-flowering sorts, stately in appearance, attaining a height of 24 to 30 inches, and bearing on strong stems beautiful globular flowers of remarkably heavy texture, in a large range of colors, embracing almost every conceivable tint in rose, heliotrope claret, maroon, crimson, and other rich and rare shades. Unsurpassed for bedding and for cutting. The eight sorts offered below were selected out of over 30 varieties as being the best and most distinct.

**Clara Butt.** Soft salmony-pink, tinged with blush. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**Glow.** Brilliant, glowing vermillion, blue centre. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

**Margaret.** Outside of petals delicate blush, inside soft rose; very pretty. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

**Nora Ware.** Silvery lilac, shaded with white. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

**Othello.** Rich blackish crimson; handsome. 8 cts. each; 80 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

**Pride of Haarlem.** Immense flowers of deep salmon-rose, shaded scarlet, with electric blue centre. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

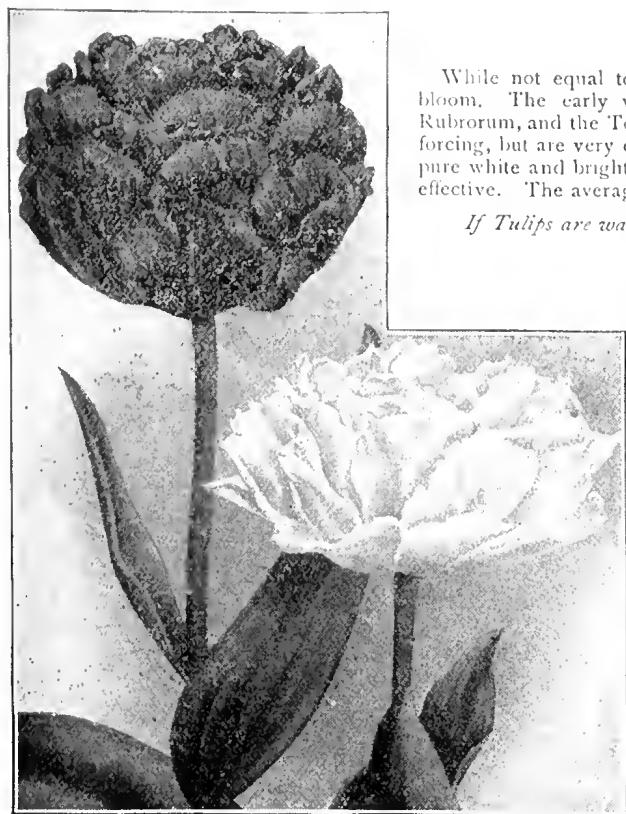
**The Sultan.** This might be called **The Black Tulip**, being a rich, glossy, black maroon. Extra fine. 6 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

**White Queen.** Clear white, slightly tinged, with delicate blush. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Collections of Darwin Tulips.**

1 each of the above 8 sorts .....	\$0.85	6 each of the above 8 sorts, 48 in all.....	\$4.25
3 " " 8 " 24 in all .....	2.25	12 " " 8 " 96 " .....	8.00

**Mixed Darwin Tulips.** Our supply of these comes from a specialist who grows over fifty sorts, most of which are represented in this mixture. 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$17.00 per 1000.



DOUBLE TULIPS, REX RUBRORUM AND LA CANDEUR.

### DOUBLE MIXED TULIPS.

**Dreer's Superb Mixture.** A grand mixture of early flowering sorts, growing the same height and blooming together; a large variety of colors. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.10 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Fine Quality Mixed.** A mixture of the cheaper sorts. 15 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.50 per 1000.

**Double Late Mixed.** These come into flower from a week to 10 days later than the above; many of this section bear immense flowers of brilliant colors. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.10 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

### PARROT OR DRAGON TULIPS.

Very large flowers of singular and picturesque forms and brilliant colors; very beautiful and interesting. The petals are curiously fringed or cut. They form extravagantly showy flower beds or borders, are of endless variety of form and color, stand a long time when cut, and should be grown in every flower garden in quantity. (See cut.)

**Constantinopie.** Orange-scarlet, with black markings.

**Cramoisie Brilliant.** Rich deep blood-crimson with blackish markings.

**Lutea.** Clear yellow, feathered with red and green.

**Markgraaf.** Yellow flamed scarlet.

**Perfecta.** Striped yellow and red.

**Price.** Any of the above, 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$16.00 per 1000.

### COLLECTIONS OF PARROT TULIPS.

6 each of the above 5 sorts, 30 bulbs.....	\$0 75
12 " " 5 " 60 "	1 25
25 " " 5 " 125 "	2 25
50 " " 5 " 250 "	4 25

**Parrot Tulips, Mixed Colors,** in great variety. A border of these resembles an Oriental rug in coloring. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

## Double Tulips.

While not equal to the single in brilliancy, the double varieties last much longer in bloom. The early varieties, such as *Duc Van Thoi*, *Murillo*, *Titian*, *Imperator*, *Rubrorum*, and the *Tournesols*, are excellent for forcing. The latter sorts will not bear forcing, but are very effective in beds or borders. A combination or solid bed of the pure white and bright scarlet varieties, *La Candeur* and *Rex Rubrorum*, is especially effective. The average height of each in inches is prefixed.

If Tulips are wanted by mail, add 5 cts. per doz. for postage.

Height. Inches.	Per Doz.	Per 100.
10. <b>Couronne d'Or</b> (Crown of Gold). Golden yellow; beautiful. \$30.00 per 1000.....	\$0 50	\$3 50
9. <b>Duke of York.</b> Carmine rose bordered with white. \$12.00 per 1000.....	25	1 50
6. <b>Duc Van Thoi.</b> Red edged yellow. \$10.00 per 1000.....	20	1 25
9. <b>Gloria Solis.</b> Deep crimson, with gold margin. \$16.00 per 1000.....	30	1 75
8. <b>Imperator Rubrorum.</b> Bright scarlet. \$28.00 per 1000.....	40	3 00
8. <b>La Candeur.</b> Pure white. A fine bedder. \$15.00 per 1000.....	30	1 75
6. <b>Murillo.</b> Superb light pink. \$25.00 per 1000	40	2 75
8. <b>Rex Rubrorum.</b> Bright scarlet. A good bedder. \$20.00 per 1000.....	35	2 25
8. <b>Rose Blanche.</b> Pure white; fine bedder. \$12.00 per 1000.....	25	1 50
7. <b>Salavator Rosa.</b> Deep rosy pink. \$35.00 per 1000.....	60	4 00
8. <b>Titian.</b> Red bordered yellow. \$18.00 per 1000.....	30	2 00
8. <b>Tournesol.</b> Scarlet broadly edged yellow; fine forcer. \$20.00 per 1000.....	35	2 50
8. <b>Tournesol Yellow.</b> Bright yellow, shaded orange; fine. \$27.00 per 1000.....	40	3 00
10. <b>Yellow Rose.</b> Golden yellow; late flowering; fragrant. \$12.00 per 1000.....	25	1 50

### Collections of Double Tulips.

3 each of the 14 named varieties for .....	\$1 25
6 " " 14 "	2 25
12 " " 14 "	4 00
25 " " 14 "	7 50



PARROT OR DRAGON TULIPS.

## Collections of Tulips for Beds.



CIRCULAR BED OF SCARLET AND YELLOW TULIPS.

What we say on page 7 about the Hyacinth as a bedding plant is equally true of the Tulip. Many brilliant color effects are possible with Tulips that cannot be produced with any other plant. The culture is the same as for the Hyacinth, only, being perfectly hardy, they do not require to be covered so heavily through the winter, but merely enough to keep the frost from throwing them out of place. When through flowering, the bulbs may be lifted and dried off, and used another year, or they may be left in the ground. The following beds are 6 feet in diameter and require 156 bulbs, planted 5 inches apart each way, and are made up of the fine sorts shown in color on the cover of this Catalogue.

### CIRCULAR BED OF TULIPS "E."

This bed is formed of two outside rows of yellow, the entire centre of scarlet as shown in the illustration above, and is a most effective combination.

Centre.—76 **Belle Alliance.** Scarlet.

Two Outer Rows.—80 **Chrysolora.** Yellow.

Price : \$3.40.

### CIRCULAR BED OF TULIPS "G."

Section 1. 40 **Pottebakker.** White.

" 2. 30 **Belle Alliance.** Scarlet.

" 3. 42 **Cottage Maid.** Pink.

" 4. 41 **Chrysolora.** Yellow.

Price : \$2.90.

### CIRCULAR BED OF TULIPS "F."

This bed is divided into four quarters, each quarter being filled with a distinct color, as under

Section 1. 39 **Joost Van Vondel.** Deep blood-red.

" 2. 39 **Chrysolora.** Yellow.

" 3. 39 **Pottebakker.** White.

" 4. 39 **Belle Alliance.** Scarlet.

Price : \$3.25.

### CIRCULAR BED OF TULIPS "H."

Section 1. 42 **Cottage Maid.** Pink.

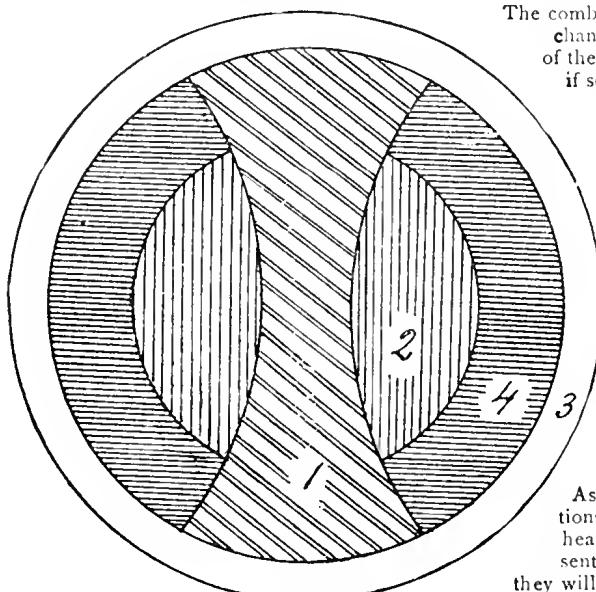
" 2. 39 **Pottebakker.** White.

" 3. 39 **Belle Alliance.** Scarlet.

" 4. 36 **Kaiser Kroon.** Crimson margined yellow.

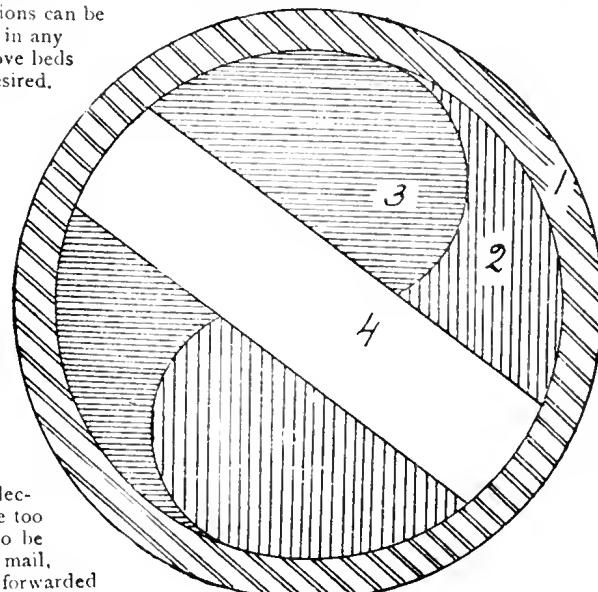
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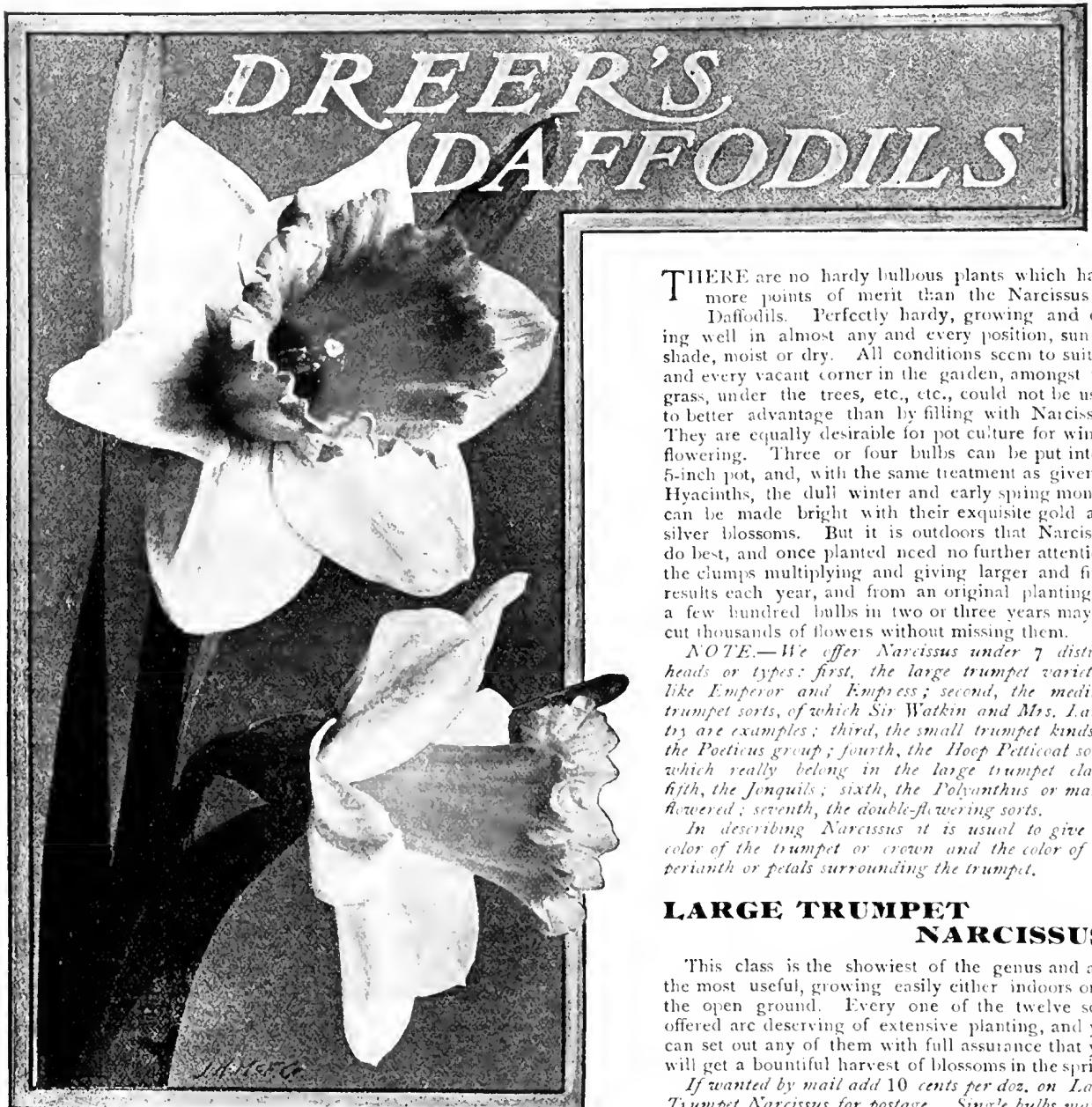


As collections are too heavy to be sent by mail, they will be forwarded by express or freight at purchaser's expense.

CIRCULAR BED OF TULIPS "G."



CIRCULAR BED OF TULIPS "H."



LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSUS "EMPERESS."

**Ablicans.** "The Great Spanish Daffodil." Perianth white, large, bold primrose trumpet, changing to pure white, elegantly fringed; a beautiful, chaste flower. 7 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

**Ard Righ, or Irish King.** An extremely early-flowering, large golden-yellow trumpet variety. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

**Bicolor Grandee** (Grandis). Flowers of the largest size, with broad, pure white petals, and yellow trumpets, late flowering, and valuable for succession. 4 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**Bicolor Victoria.** A comparatively new variety, perianth creamy white, trumpet rich yellow, delicately perfumed; excellent for pots. 8 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$4.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000.

**Empress.** Perianth snow-white, trumpet rich yellow, serrated and flanged at the edges, large in outline, and of rare beauty for cutting. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

THERE are no hardy bulbous plants which have more points of merit than the *Narcissus* or Daffodils. Perfectly hardy, growing and doing well in almost any and every position, sun or shade, moist or dry. All conditions seem to suit it, and every vacant corner in the garden, amongst the grass, under the trees, etc., etc., could not be used to better advantage than by filling with *Narcissus*. They are equally desirable for pot culture for winter flowering. Three or four bulbs can be put into a 5-inch pot, and, with the same treatment as given to Hyacinths, the dull winter and early spring months can be made bright with their exquisite gold and silver blossoms. But it is outdoors that *Narcissus* do best, and once planted need no further attention, the clumps multiplying and giving larger and finer results each year, and from an original planting of a few hundred bulbs in two or three years may be cut thousands of flowers without missing them.

NOTE.—We offer *Narcissus* under 7 distinct heads or types: first, the large trumpet varieties, like *Emperor* and *Empress*; second, the medium trumpet sorts, of which Sir Watkin and Mrs. Langtry are examples; third, the small trumpet kinds or the *Poeticus* group; fourth, the *Hoop Petticoat* sorts, which really belong in the large trumpet class; fifth, the *Jongails*; sixth, the *Polyanthus* or many-flowered; seventh, the double-flowering sorts.

In describing *Narcissus* it is usual to give the color of the trumpet or crown and the color of the perianth or petals surrounding the trumpet.

### LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSUS.

This class is the showiest of the genus and also the most useful, growing easily either indoors or in the open ground. Every one of the twelve sorts offered are deserving of extensive planting, and you can set out any of them with full assurance that you will get a bountiful harvest of blossoms in the spring.

If wanted by mail add 10 cents per doz. on Large Trumpet *Narcissus* for postage. Single bulbs mailed free at prices given.

**Emperor.** A magnificent flower; perianth deep primrose; trumpet large, rich yellow. Should be largely grown in flower beds, borders, or naturalized in grass; it is one of the finest Daffodils in cultivation and much prized for cutting. (See cut.) 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Giant Princps.** A magnificent flower, and one of the finest of the large trumpet type; perianth sulphur white; trumpet rich yellow. As a forcing variety it is superior in every way, and a fine sort for naturalizing. 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

**Golden Spur.** Large, spreading full, deep yellow perianth; trumpet golden-yellow. A charming, richly perfumed flower, and one of the very best of the Golden Trumpets. In favorable situations the flower stalks attain a height of 2 feet. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

## LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSUS.

*Continued.*

**Henry Irving.** Remarkable for its deep yellow, imbricated, wheel-shaped perianth and large trumpet of a lovely golden-yellow hue; a fine variety for any purpose. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Horsfieldi.** A Royal flower as to size and color, being very similar to Empress; perianth pure white; trumpet rich yellow. It comes into bloom early, and is one of the very finest for cutting. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Maximus.** "Hale's Vase of Beaten Gold" A grand deep golden-yellow flower. For cutting this variety is unexcelled; succeeds best in a heavy moist soil. 7 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

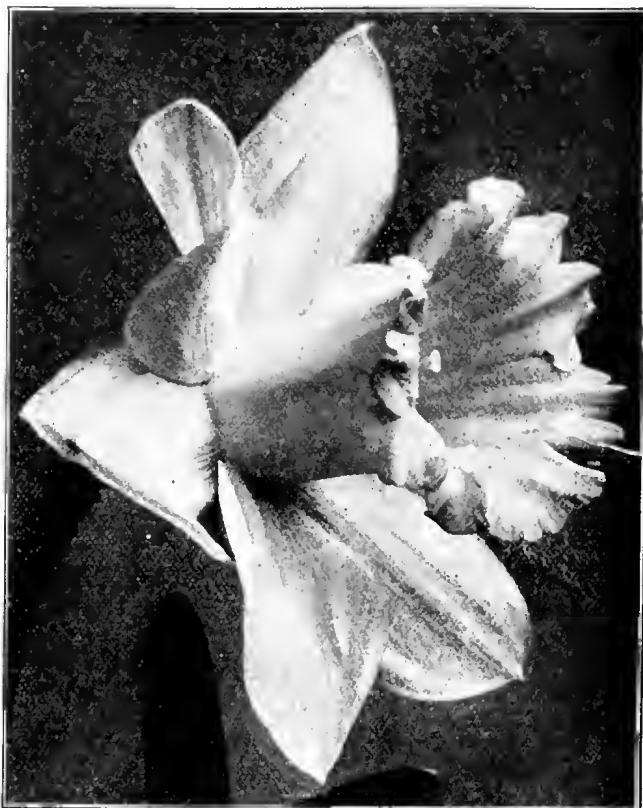
**Trumpet Major (Single Van Sion).** A large and shapely flower of a rich yellow color throughout; an excellant sort for forcing, bedding or naturalizing. 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

### COLLECTIONS OF

## LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSUS.

1 each of the 12 varieties, 12 bulbs	.....	.....	\$0.60
3 " " " " 36 "	.....	.....	1.40
6 " " " " 72 "	.....	.....	2.50
12 " " " " 144 "	.....	.....	4.50
25 " " " " 300 "	.....	.....	8.50

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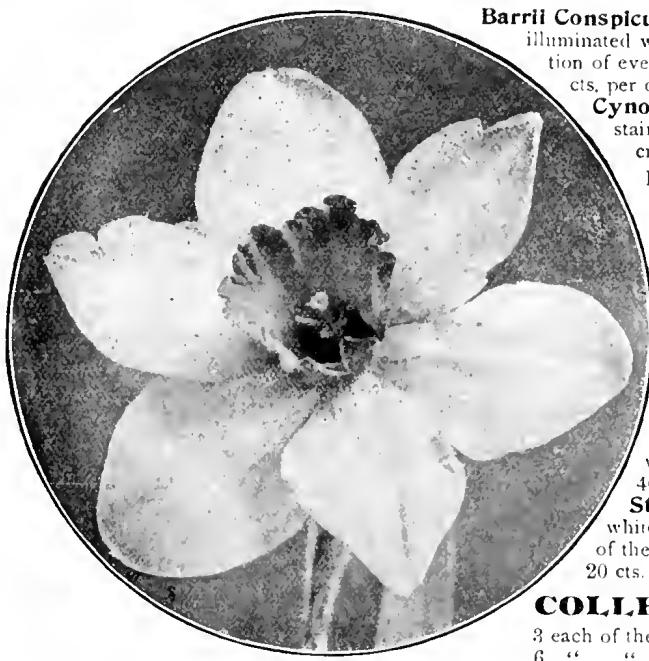


LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSUS EMPEROR.

## Nonsuch, Peerless, Chalice-cup or Star Narcissus.

This class is also known as the medium trumpets, and comprises some of the most beautiful and graceful forms. All are especially adapted for naturalizing, being of free growth and multiplying rapidly.

If wanted by mail, add 6 cts. per doz. on Star Narcissus.



**Barrii Conspicuous.** Perianth sulphur; broad spreading cup; magnificently illuminated with scarlet; a most distinct and beautiful sort; the admiration of everyone, and should be in every collection. 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

**Cynosure.** Large primrose perianth; cup yellow; conspicuously stained with orange-scarlet; remarkably showy; a fine sort for cutting. 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1000.

**Figaro.** Perianth lemon-yellow; cup large, spreading and stained orange-scarlet; a large and well-formed flower. 3 cents each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

**Incomparabilis.** Yellow, with orange cup. 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1000.

**Leedsii Mrs. Langtry.** Pure white perianth, broad and overlapping, large white cup, edged bright canary-yellow; free bloomer and exquisite as a cut flower. 4 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**Sir Watkin.** "Giant Chalice Flower," or "Big Welshman." A gigantic flower, the largest in this section; perianth sulphur-yellow; cup slightly deeper in color and tinged with orange; fine for pot culture. (See cut.) 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000.

**Stella.** One of the first to bloom; flowers star-shaped; pure white with yellow cup; large, wonderfully free-blooming and one of the very best for general decoration or for cutting. 3 cts. each; 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1000.

### COLLECTIONS OF STAR NARCISSUS.

3 each of the above 7 varieties, 21 bulbs	.....	.....	\$0.50
6 " " " 7 "	42 "	.....	90
12 " " " 7 "	84 "	.....	1.50
25 " " " 7 "	175 "	.....	2.75

MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSUS SIR WATKIN.



A BORDER OF POET'S NARCISSUS.

### THE POET'S NARCISSUS.

(*Narcissus Poeticus*.)

This is the old-fashioned favorite type, with white flowers, the cups margined with red and with rich, spicy odor. For indoor culture the *Ornatus* is best. All do well in the open border, are perfectly hardy, and once planted take care of themselves. The illustration shows how they lend themselves for naturalizing.

If wanted by mail, add 5 cts. per doz. for postage on Poet's Narcissus.

**Biflorus.** Pure white perianth, with soft yellow crown, 2 to 3 flowers on each stalk; late flowering; very sweetly-scented. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1000.

**Burbridgel.** Pure white flowers, cup edged with rich cinnabar-red; earliest to bloom; much prized for cutting. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1000.

**Poeticus** (Pheasant's eye, or Poet's Narcissus). Flowers large, snow-white, with beautiful cup suffused with bright orange-red; blooms in May; very fragrant. 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$5.00 per 1000.

**Poeticus Ornatus.** The most perfect form of the Poet's Narcissus. It is more symmetrical than the old *Poeticus*, and blooms a month earlier; flowers large, pure white, cup margined with scarlet and as fragrant as the type. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1000.

### COLLECTIONS OF POET'S NARCISSUS.

6 each of the 4 varieties, 24 bulbs.....	\$0 35
12 " " 4 " 48 " .....	65
25 " " 4 " 100 " .....	1 00
100 " " 4 " 400 " .....	3 50

### Hoop Petticoat Narcissus.

**Bulbocodium.** Exceedingly pretty flowers, of a rich citron-yellow. It is a gem for pot culture and edgings, and bears from 6 to 12 flowers to each bulb. 6 cts. each; 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

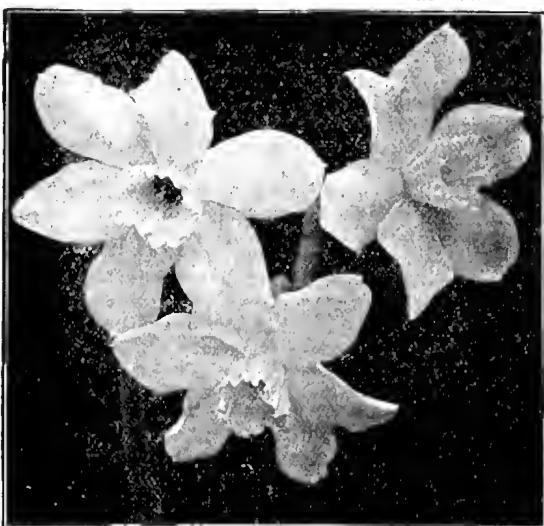
**Bulbocodium Monophyllum** (*Clusi*). Pure white; very early blooming. 7 cts. each; 70 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

### NARCISSUS IN MIXTURE.

For planting among shrubbery, in unused corners, or for naturalizing in grass, where they may remain undisturbed for years, these are, without doubt, one of the best hardy bulbs, coming into bloom early and supplying an unfailing source of cut flowers. Both the single and double sorts deserve extensive planting in every garden.

If wanted by mail, add 5 cts. per doz. for postage on Mixed Narcissus.

**Single Varieties.** Mixture does not contain the very cheapest sorts, and will be found very fine. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1000.



STAR NARCISSUS LIEDESH MRS. LANGTRY (offered on page 15).

## JONQUILS.

(*Narcissus Jonquilla* and *Odorus*.)

All of the Jonquils are prized for their graceful, golden, fragrant blossoms and the ease with which they may be grown. Half a dozen bulbs can be put in a 5-inch pot, and with the same treatment as recommended for Hyacinths (see page 4) a fine display can be had from January to April. Their cost is so trifling that liberal planting should be made outdoors. A clump of 50 or more bulbs put here and there among shrubbery or interspersed in the hardy border or naturalized in the grass gives an indescribably rich effect in the early spring, while a vase of the cut blooms will fill a room with the rich, spicy odor.

**Single Sweet-scented** (*Narcissus Jonquilla*). Rich buttery yellow; not as large a flower as the others, but most fragrant and very free-flowering. 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per 1000.

**Campernelle** (*Narcissus Odorus*). A grand variety, producing freely large yellow flowers, very sweetly scented; a strong grower, doing well in almost any position. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$7.00 per 1000.

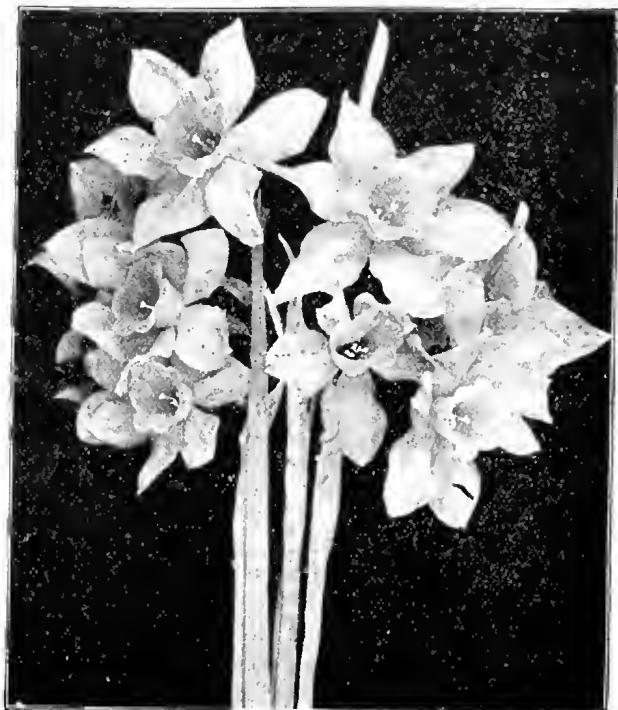
**Campernelle Rugulosus.** The largest and finest of all Jonquils; a handsome flower; color pure yellow; very fragrant. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Double Sweet-scented.** Full double golden-yellow; highly fragrant. 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

### Collections of Jonquils.

12 each of the above 4 varieties, . . . . .	\$0 75
25 " " " 4 " . . . . .	1 25
50 " " " 4 " . . . . .	2 25
100 " " " 4 " . . . . .	4 00

Jonquils mailed free at dozen rates.



CAMPERNELLE JONQUILS.

## DOUBLE DAFFODILS.

No collection of *Narcissus* is complete without the double-flowering sorts. While not as attractive as many of the single varieties, they possess a charm peculiarly their own. All are perfectly hardy, and are much in demand for cutting.

If wanted by mail, add 8 cts. per doz. for postage on Double Daffodils.

**Van Sloen** (*Telamonius pinnus*). The famous old Dutch Daffodil; flowers golden yellow, large and of fine form. This variety is used in enormous quantities for forcing; also excellent for bedding in conjunction with Hyacinths, flowering at the same time.

**Extra Selected Double-nosed Bulbs.** Each bulb will produce at least two flowers and frequently three or more. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

**Selected Single-nose Bulbs.** Each bulb will produce at least one fine flower and often two. 4 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000.

**Incomparable** (Butter and Eggs). Orange and yellow; of large size and good shape. 3 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Orange Phoenix** (Eggs and Bacon). Light citron, with orange centre; a beautiful, artistic blossom, and easily forced. 4 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$15 per 1000.

**Sulphur or Silver Phoenix** (Coddins and Cream). Creamy-white, with pale sulphur centre. Considered the finest of the double sorts. 6 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

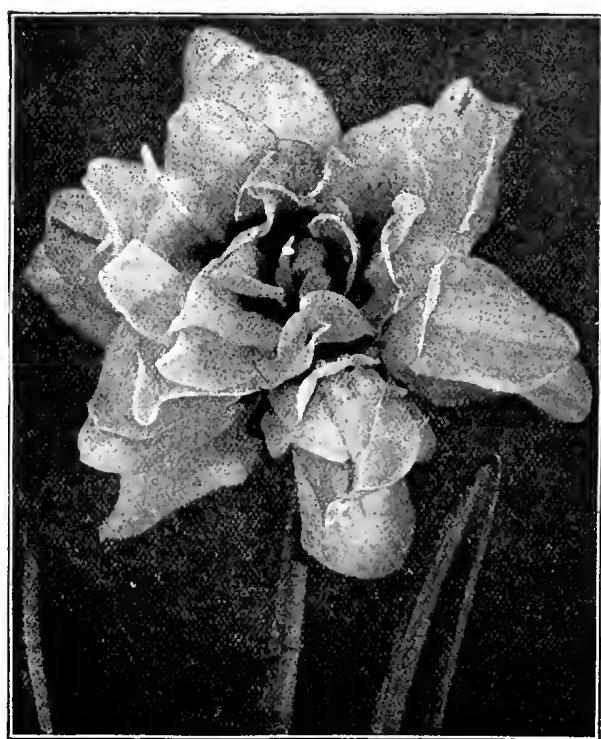
**Alba Plena Odorata** (*Double Poet's Narcissus* or *Gardenia Daffodil*). Double, pure white; very sweet-scented. This beautiful variety cannot be forced. It succeeds best planted on rather heavy soil, in partial shade, and where it will not suffer from lack of moisture. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$9.00 per 1000.

### Collections of Double Daffodils.

3 each of the 5 varieties . . . . .	\$0 40
6 " " 5 " . . . . .	70
12 " " 5 " . . . . .	1 25
25 " " 5 " . . . . .	2 25

### Double Mixed Daffodils.

A good mixture, and just the thing for planting in odd corners for cutting. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1000.



DOUBLE NARCISSUS, ORANGE PHENIX.

## Polyanthus Narcissus, or NOSEGAY DAFFODILS.

Beautiful, free-flowering, deliciously sweet-scented flowers, of the easiest culture; suitable for forcing or for growing in water in the same way as the Chinese Sacred Narcissus. They bear tall spikes of bloom, with from 6 to 20 flowers each. Bulbs planted in the open border in November stand the winter with protection.

If wanted by mail, add 10 cts. per doz. for postage on *Polyanthus Narcissus*.

**Paper White Grandiflora.** An improved large-flowering form of the Paper White, possessing all the good qualities of that popular and easily-grown variety, and which, on account of its larger flowers, is now the principal forcing sort. As shown in the illustration at the bottom of this page, it does splendidly in water, like the Chinese Sacred Lily. 4 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**Paper White.** Snow white, fragrant flowers. Can be had in flower from November to March with little or no trouble. 4 cts. each; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Double Roman.** Double white, with orange centre; very fragrant. 4 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

**Grand Monarque.** Broad white perianth and primrose cup; a very effective flower. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

**Grand Primo.** Cup citron, perianth pure white; excellent for cutting. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

**Grand Soleil d'Or.** A charming rich yellow flower, with deep reddish cup. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

**Staten General.** White, with citron cup, fading to pure white. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

**White Pearl.** Large, pure, satiny white; beautiful. 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

**Mixed Polyanthus Narcissus.** 4 cts. each; 30 cents per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

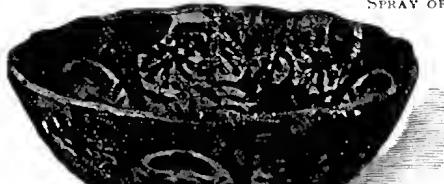
### COLLECTIONS OF

### Polyanthus Narcissus.

3 each of the 8 named varieties, 70 cts.

6 each of the 8 named varieties, \$1.25.

12 each of the 8 named varieties, \$2.25.



JAPANESE "IMARI" LILY BOWLS.



NARCISSUS PAPER WHITE GRANDIFLORA.  
Grown in a bowl in water and pebbles.



SPRAY OF NARCISSUS PAPER WHITE GRANDIFLORA.

### Special.

We will send by express or freight, prepaid, to any address in the United States, 1 Imari Lily Bowl, 3 Chinese Sacred Narcissus, and the necessary pebbles for \$1.00.

## Chinese Sacred Lily.

(*Soy Sin Far, Joss Flower, or Flower of the Gods.*)

This is the *Narcissus Orientalis*, and the variety grown by Chinamen for decorating their temples or Joss-houses on their New Year's Day, which occurs in February. For the most part they are grown in water in fancy bowls, with just enough pebbles around them to keep them from toppling over. They can also be grown in pots in soil, sand or moss. We annually import from China a large quantity of the finest quality bulbs, and if planted on arrival (about October 1st) they will flower by Christmas, and a succession of flowers can be had by making several plantings. The white and yellow flowers are borne in clusters, and are highly scented. Large bulbs, 10 cts. each; 3 for 25 cts.; 90 cts. per doz. Original baskets, containing 30 bulbs, \$2.00.

If wanted by mail, add 3 cts. per bulb for postage.

**LILY BOWLS,** for Chinese Sacred and Polyanthus Narcissus.

**Imari.** Fine Japanese ware, highly decorated in red, blue, green, etc.; exceedingly attractive (see cut). To hold 1 bulb, 20 cts. each; for 2 bulbs, 30 cts. each; for 3 bulbs, 40 cts. each.

**Imitation Cut Glass.** To hold 1 bulb, 15 cts. each; for 2 bulbs, 20 cts. each; for 3 bulbs, 25 cts. each.

**PEBBLES,** for filling Lily Bowls, 10 cts. per quart.

*Lily Bowls and Pebbles cannot be sent by mail, but only by express or freight at customer's expense.*



GIANT NAMED CROCUS.

**MIXED CROCUS.**

The bulbs offered under this head are smaller than our Giant Named sorts, but are quite satisfactory for planting in the grass or for any position out of doors.

**Blue and Purple** shades, 10 cts. per doz.; 50 cts. per 100; \$4.00 per 1000.

**Striped and Variegated** sorts, 10 cts. per doz.; 50 cts. per 100; \$4.00 per 1000.

**White** sorts, 10 cts. per doz.; 50 cts. per 100; \$4.00 per 1000.

**Golden Yellow**, good bulbs, 10 cts. per doz.; 50 cts. per 100; \$4.00 per 1000.

**All Colors Mixed**, 10 cts. per doz.; 40 cts. per 100; \$3.50 per 1000.

*If wanted by mail, add 10 cts. per 100 for postage to Mixed Crocus. Dozens mailed without extra charge.*

**COLCHICUM.**

(Autumn-flowering Crocus.)

**Autumnale** (*Meadow Saffron*). Very effective and handsome hardy plants, the flowers of which come through the ground without the leaves in the fall, the leaves appearing the following spring. The flowers comprise many shades of white, purple, rose, striped, etc. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100.

**Parkinsoni**. A distinct and beautiful sort, remarkable for the peculiar arrangement of color in its flowers, they being checkered with dark purple on a white ground; unique. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100.



COLCHICUM PARKINSONI.

**CROCUS.**

This brilliant and universally admired spring flower will thrive in any soil or situation, but to be brought to the highest perfection it should be grown in an open bed or border of deep rich, sandy loam. When planted in large groups or lines of distinct colors, the effect is very striking, and the bulbs are now offered so cheap as to justify their liberal use. They are invaluable for pot culture. To secure a succession of blooms commence planting early in October, 6 or 8 bulbs in a pot (the named varieties are best for this purpose), using rich soil, and planting about an inch deep. Place the pots on a surface of ashes, cover the top one inch deep with soil, until the leaves appear, when they may be removed to the house. They can also be grown in saucers or bowls, in water and pebbles, in the same way as the Chinese Sacred Lily.

**DREER'S GIANT NAMED CROCUS.**

These are large bulbs of the best varieties, and are remarkable for richness of color and size of their flowers, and are the best to use for pot culture or where extra fine results are wanted.

**Cloth of Gold.** Golden yellow veined brown on the outside.

**King of the Blues.** Brilliant purple blue.

**Mme. Mina.** White, striped lavender blue.

**Mammoth Yellow.** Golden yellow, very large bulbs, and very free-flowering.

**Mont. Blanc.** Large pure white. **Purpurea grandiflora.** Richest purple, very large flowers.

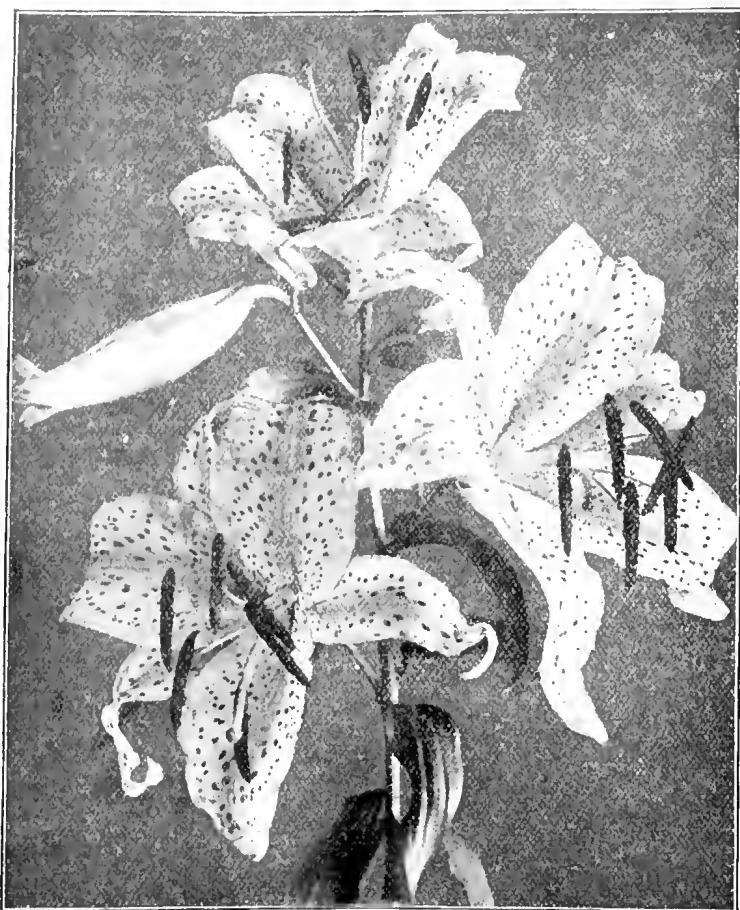
**Queen of the Netherlands.** Purest white, large flower and very free.

**Sir Walter Scott.** White, striped with violet.

**Price**, any of the above in extra fine bulbs, 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.50 per 1000. *If by mail, add 20 cts. per 100 to named Crocus.*



MIXED CROCUS IN THE GRASS.



LILUM AURATUM (Golden-banded Japanese Lily).

**Auratum** (*Golden-banded Lily*). Undoubtedly one of the finest. Its large, graceful, fragrant flowers are composed of six petals of a delicate ivory-white color, thickly studded with chocolate crimson spots, and striped through the centre a golden-yellow; 3 to 5 feet; July-September. (See cut.)

8 to 9-inch bulbs,	12 cts. each;	\$1.00 per doz.;	\$7.50 per 100.
9 to 11 "	18 " "	1.50 " "	10.00 "
11 to 13 "	30 " "	2.50 " "	18.00 "

**Auratum Rubro-vittatum.** This splendid variety has a band of red running through each petal instead of the gold band as in the type; 3 to 4 feet; August. 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz.

**Batemanniae.** Bright, apricot-tinted flowers; 3 feet; July. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Brownii.** Large trumpet-shaped flowers, internally pure white; externally rich purple; 4 feet; July-August. 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz.

**Canadense.** Bright crimson, with dark spots; 2 to 3 feet; June-July. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Candidum** (*Annunciation or Madonna Lily*). This is one of the most popular of garden Lilies. The flowers are pure snow-white and very fragrant, borne on long stems. To succeed with it, it should be planted early in the autumn, so that it can make some growth before frost; give the bulbs a light dusting with powdered sulphur, and do not cover with more than 2 inches of soil; 3 to 4 feet; May-June. (See cut.) Large bulbs, 12 cents each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100. Extra large bulbs, 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100. Mammoth bulbs, 20 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

## LILIUMS.

Single Bulbs of Lilies mailed free at prices given; rates on larger quantities do not include postage.

To the Lily must be awarded the first place among hardy bulbs; their beauty and fragrance are unequalled by any other class of plants. The genus embraces a vast number of species; we, however, confine our list to such as are of easy culture, and give the best results with the least care. It is in the hardy border, or among shrubbery, that Lilies do best, as they get the benefit of the shade of the surrounding plants, which is so necessary for their welfare. In planting, cover the bulbs at least three times their own depth, and when hard frost sets in 4 to 6 inches of leaves or litter should be placed over them; this should be removed in spring, when danger from hard frost is past. When grown in pots it is advisable to begin with the smallest size pot in which the bulbs can be placed, and to shift into larger pots as the plant progresses. A cool temperature suits them best, and the plants should be liberally watered during the period of growth and flowering.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**—Lily bulbs will be forwarded as they mature. As a rule, we can furnish *Candidum* and *Harrisii* from August on. *Canadense*, *Elegans*, *Longiflorum*, *Superbum* and *Tenuifolium* from end of September on. The entire balance in late October and November.

*Auratum*, *Kramerii* and the *Speciosum* varieties come from Japan and are usually received early in November. They are liable to delays of steamers, freight blockades, etc., and we advise the preparation of the Lily beds or borders early in autumn, covering them with 4 to 6 inches of leaves or litter of any kind. This will keep them open and admit of the planting of the bulbs even if not received until December.

**Croceum** (*Orange Lily*). One of the easiest Lilies to grow; bright orange, borne in an umbel of 5 to 10 erect flowers; 3 to 4 ft.; July. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Elegans** (*Umbellatum*). This class includes some of the most beautiful Lilies; flowers erect, borne in clusters; colors of the richest hues of yellow and red; fine for planting in masses. Mixed varieties 1 to 2 feet; July. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

**Elegans Incomparable.** Intense deep red; one of the richest of this easily grown group; 2 feet; July. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

**Excelsum.** This remarkable Lily produces from 8 to 12 nodding, rich, apricot-hued blooms; very sweet-scented; 4 to 6 feet; July. 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz.



LILUM CANDIDUM (Annunciation or Madonna Lily).

## LILIUMS—Continued.

Single bulbs of Lilies mailed free at prices given. Rates on larger quantities do not include postage.

**Giganteum.** A splendid species of gigantic growth and very distinct; the stems grow 6 to 10 feet high, and frequently bear 12 to 20 large flowers 5 to 6 inches long; color creamy white, with a purple throat; blooms in the summer. Large flowering bulbs, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

**Harrisii (Bermuda Easter Lily).** This magnificent Lily is undoubtedly the best for winter forcing, as it comes quickly into bloom. The flowers are trumpet-shaped, pure white, gracefully formed and delightfully fragrant. The bulbs should be potted in early fall in rich soil, and the pots plunged in sand, where they should be allowed to remain until the approach of cold weather. The freedom with which the flowers are produced is truly remarkable; even the smallest bulbs blooming freely.

5 to 7-inch bulbs, 10 cts. each; 85 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, 20 cts. each; \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.50 per 100.

9 to 11-inch bulbs, 40 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

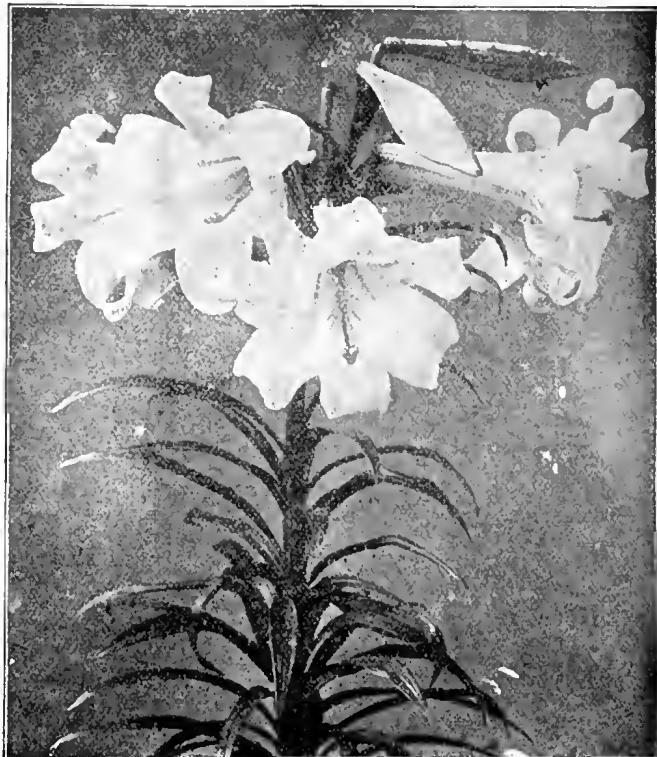
**Humboldtii.** Flowers orange-red, with claret-colored spots; 3 to 5 feet; July. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

**Longiflorum Multiflorum.** Pure white trumpet-shaped flowers. Splendid for growing in pots for Easter flowering, and very desirable for outdoor planting, being quite hardy; 2 to 3 feet, according to strength of bulb; blooms in June outdoors.

6 to 8-inch bulbs, 8 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

7 to 9-inch bulbs, 12 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

9 to 10-inch bulbs, 20 cts. each; \$1.75 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.



LILUM HARRISII (Bermuda Easter Lily).

**Kramerii.** Large flowers, of a soft, beautiful rose color; 2 to 2½ feet; June-August. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

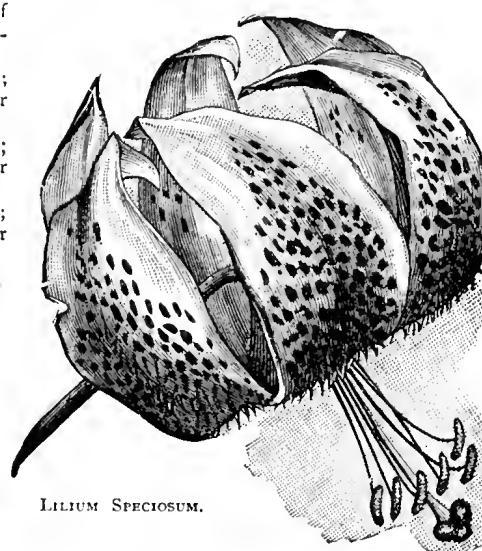
**Pardalinum.** Scarlet shading to rich yellow, spotted with purple-brown; 3 feet; July-August. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Superbum.** A beautiful native variety; bright reddish-orange, spotted; 3 to 6 feet; August. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

**Speciosum Album.** The Speciosum or Lancifolium are the most important of all the Japanese Lilies, always satisfactory; the variety here offered has large white flowers of great substance, with a greenish band running through the centre of each petal.

8 to 9 inch bulbs, 18 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

9 to 11-inch bulbs, 25 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.



LILUM SPECIOSUM.

**Speciosum Rubrum, or Roseum.** White, heavily spotted with rich crimson spots, 8 to 9-inch bulbs, 15 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100. 9 to 11-inch bulbs, 25 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

**Speciosum Melpomene.** Very large flowers, rich blood-crimson, heavily spotted. 18 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Tenuifolium (Coral Lily).** Bears in profusion medium-sized flowers of perfect form and of a dazzling orange-scarlet; 1 to 2 feet; May. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Tigrinum (Tiger Lily).** Orange, spotted black; 2 to 5 feet; summer. 10 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

— **Splendens (Improved Tiger Lily).** 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

— **Flore Pleno (Double Tiger Lily).** Orange-red spotted with black; double, showy flowers. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

**Wallacei.** Flowers rich vermillion-orange, spotted with raised maroon dots; thrifty grower, and highly satisfactory; 1 foot; August. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**Washingtonianum Purpureum.** A grand variety from the Pacific slope; large, fragrant flowers opening white, turning to purple as they fade; 3 to 5 feet; summer. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



# Miscellaneous Bulbs and Roots.

(Unless otherwise specified, all Bulbs and Roots are ready for delivery in September.)



ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM.

## POPPY ANEMONES.

(Windflower.)

The varieties offered below are charming hardy spring flowers, and are becoming better known and more popular as a garden flower. Both double and single are equally desirable, and no garden should be without them. They are suitable for pot or border culture, and when planted in masses are most effective. They succeed best in a light, rich, well-drained loam. Plant in November, or as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring. If planted in the autumn, they should be covered with leaves, straw, or long manure on the approach of winter. For pot culture, fill with any rich, porous compost, with good drainage, planting 4 roots in a 5 inch pot; place in a cold frame, or any moderately cool situation, giving very little water until the plants appear; then remove to greenhouse or sitting-room window.

## DOUBLE POPPY ANEMONES.

**Duchess of Lorraine.** Deep rose, large and full.

**Harold.** Intense bright blue.

**Ceres.** White delicately tinted rose.

**Rosette.** Delicate rose; a beautiful shade.

**L'Eclair.** Brilliant, striking scarlet.

**Price,** any of the above, 3 for 10 cts.; 35 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100.

**Double Mixed.** All colors, 4 for 10 cts.; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.

## SINGLE POPPY ANEMONES.

	Doz.	100.	1000.
<b>Single Brilliant Scarlet</b> . . . . .	\$0 20	\$1 25	
<b>Single White (The Bride)</b> . . . . .	20	1 00	
<b>Single Mixed.</b> All colors . . . . .	20	1 00	\$7 50

## ANEMONE FULGENS.

(Scarlet Windflower.)

The Anemone Fulgens is one of the most attractive and desirable flowers for winter forcing or early spring blooming. Its dazzling vermillion flowers are very pretty, and are borne in profusion. The cut flowers are invaluable, lasting a long time in water. 3 for 10 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

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## AGAPANTHUS (African Lily).

Splendid ornamental plants, bearing large clusters of bright blue and pure white flowers on long flower stalks, and lasting a long time in bloom. There is no finer plant than this for outdoor decoration, planted in large pots or tubs on the lawn, terrace or piazza. It does well in the house or greenhouse in winter, requiring but slight protection. It is a rapid grower and gross feeder, and the chief point in its cultivation is to divide the plants before the pots or tubs become overcrowded with roots. Strong clumps.

**Umbellatus.** Bright blue. | - **albus.** Pure white.  
15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. One of each for 25 cts.

## ALLIUMS.

Bulbous plants of the very easiest culture, requiring little attention and giving good returns.

**Neapolitanum.** An excellent variety for winter flowering, extensively forced by florists for cut flowers. Its flower stems are 20 inches high, supporting a large cluster of delicate white starry flowers; sure to bloom splendidly in any window. (See cut.) 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$7.00 per 1000.



ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM.

**Hermetti grandiflorum.** A variety similar to the preceding, but dwarfer and better adapted for pot culture. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100.

**Aureum (Golden Lily Leek).** Bright yellow; perfectly hardy; blooms in June; excellent for naturalizing. 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per 1000.

**Azureum.** A beautiful variety, throwing up in spring slender stems 2 feet high, surmounted by a large umbel of lovely azure-blue flowers; perfectly hardy. 7 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

## ALSTROMERIA.

**Chilensis (Chilian Lily).** A tuberous-rooted plant, 2 ft. high, with spikes of showy flowers, varying from rose-white to deep orange and red, flowering from July to September. Set the roots 4 inches deep. In exposed situations requires protection. (Ready in November.) 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.



SINGLE ANEMONES.

**AMARYLLIS** (*Hippeastrum*).

Splendid flowering bulbs, suitable for greenhouse, room or garden cultivation.

**Nehrling's Florida Hybrids.** This grand strain is the result of over 20 years' selection of crosses made between such magnificent varieties as Empress of India, Enchantress, the long-tubed, fragrant Solandriiflora, as well as the finest English and Continental hybrids of more recent introduction. These crossings and re-crossings, combined with careful selection, have resulted in a strain of strong, vigorous growth, producing from four to six flowers on a stalk, which are perfectly circular in outline and of enormous size, ranging in color from deep crimson to dazzling orange-scarlet and from light rose to almost pure white, the darker varieties generally being striped with a band of white, the lighter-colored ones having bright crimson lines and variegations. Very strong bulbs, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Aulica Platypetala** (*Lily of the Palace*). Immense flowers of intense crimson, tipped green. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Defiance.** A grand, strong-growing variety, often blooming several times in a season; very large flowers of a deep carmine striped with white. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Equestre** (*Barbadoes Spice Lily*). Bright orange-scarlet, with a white star-shaped centre; quite fragrant. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Formosissima** (*Jacobean Lily*). Crimson; blooming early in the summer. 8 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

**Johnsonii.** Very large flower, of a rich crimson-scarlet color, striped with white. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**Prince of Orange.** Large flowers; orange, intermingled with white and green. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Solandriiflora conspicua.** Striped white, green and rose. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

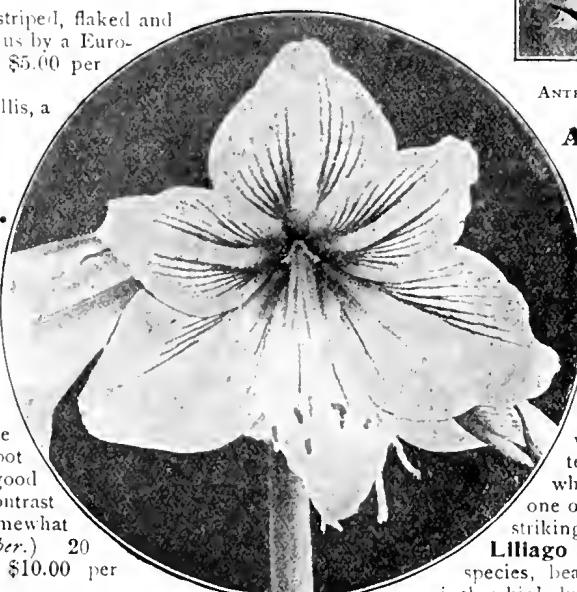
**Vittata Hybrids.** Beautiful striped, flaked and feathered varieties; grown for us by a European specialist. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

One each of the above 9 Amaryllis, a splendid collection, \$4.00.

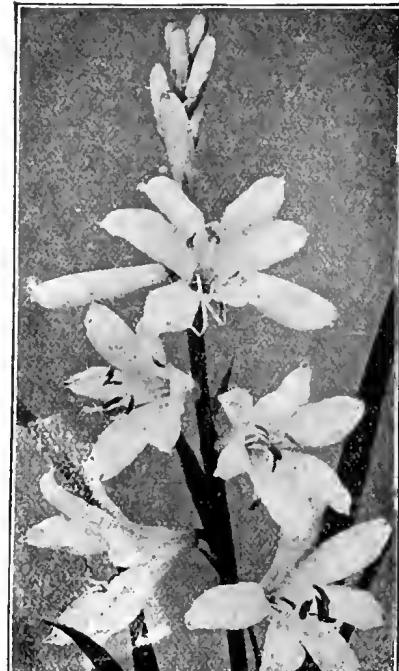
**ANOMATHECA CRUENTA.**

(Flowering Grass)

A pretty little bulbous plant from South Africa, which is quite hardy with slight protection, but does best when grown in frames or a cool greenhouse. Grows 8 to 12 inches high, producing in quantity pretty flowers  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch across, of a dazzling rosy carmine color, with a dark crimson spot on the three lower petals; a good companion plant and fine contrast to the Freesia, which it somewhat resembles. (Ready in October.) 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.



AMARYLLIS.



ANTHICUM LILIASTRUM GIGANTEUM.

**ANTHERICUM.**

**Liliastrum** (*St. Bruno's Lily*). A beautiful plant, 2 feet high, with narrow, grass-like foliage and long spikes of white, fragrant Lily-like flowers in May and June. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

**Liliastrum Giganteum** (*Giant St. Bruno's Lily*). A wonderful improvement on the St. Bruno's Lily, of which it is a gigantic form. It produces 2½ feet high stems, which during May and June are terminated by spikes of very large white flowers, and forcibly remind one of a miniature *Lilium Candidum*. A striking novelty. 50c. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Liliago** (*St. Bernard's Lily*). A pretty species, bearing spikes of white flowers 18 inches high during May and June. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

**BABIANA.**

A charming genus with leaves of darker green, thickly covered with downy hairs, and bearing showy spikes of flowers. They should have the protection of a cold frame, and are very successfully grown in pots. Height, 6 to 9 inches.

**Mixed Varieties.** 4 for 10 cts.; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.

**BRODIAEA.**

Handsome bulbous plants from the Pacific Slope, blooming in pendent clusters on long, slender stems. It is easily forced, and may be grown in the greenhouse or cold frame, or if planted out in clumps or masses will flower freely in June or July. Perfectly hardy.

**Coccinea** (*Floral Firecracker*). Flowers 1½ to 2 inches long; a rich glowing crimson, tipped with pea-green; a striking plant. (See cut.) 4 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

**Mixed Varieties.** In many beautiful colors. 4 for 10 cts.; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.



BRODIAEA COCCINEA.



GOLDEN YELLOW CALLA  
RICHARDIA ELLIOTTIANA.

### CALOCHORTUS.

(Mariposa, or Butterfly Tulip.)

Very beautiful California bulbs, blooming in summer. The flowers are of rich and brilliant colors in various shades of white, purple and yellow, borne on stiff, slender stalks, 8 to 20 inches high, from a few to 15 or 20 flowers a stalk. (See cut.)

**Mixed.** A selection of the hardiest varieties. 3 for 10 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.



CALOCHORTUS.

### CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow).

These are among the most beautiful of our early spring-flowering bulbs, coming into flower soon after the snow is gone. Grows well in any good garden soil, and when once planted requires no further care. Looks best when planted in lines or clumps of 25 or more bulbs.

**Lucilæ.** Flowers of a brilliant sky-blue color, with white centre. 15 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1000.

**Lucilæ Gigantea.** A very distinct and beautiful species, with very large flowers of soft lavender-blue, with white centre. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Sardensis.** A strikingly beautiful, brilliant gentian-blue flower. A gem among spring bulbs. 15 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1000.

**Tmouisi.** Very large flowers of deep indigo-blue. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

### CLIVIA (Imantophyllum).

**Miniatum.** A pretty lily-like plant of the easiest culture, and most desirable house plant; it flowers during the spring and summer months, remaining in bloom for a long period. The flowers are about 2 inches long, and are borne in dense clusters of from ten to twenty flowers on each; in color it is of a fine orange-red, shading to buff. Strong, growing plants, 50 cts. each.

### TULIPS FOR BEDS

The six sorts shown in colors on the cover of this catalogue are unsurpassed in their respective colors. We offer on page 13 a number of beds made up of these varieties.

## Calla Lilies.

**White Calla** (*Richardia Aethiopica*). The White Calla, or Lily of the Nile, is a well-known plant of easy culture, and in winter is one of our best window plants. To aid profuse blooming keep them dormant from the middle of June until the last of August; repot in good rich soil, using 6 to 8-inch pot; give water, light and heat in abundance, and the result will be most satisfactory.

Good roots, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

Large " 15 " 1.50 " 10.00 " "

Mammoth " 25 " 2.50 " 18.00 " "

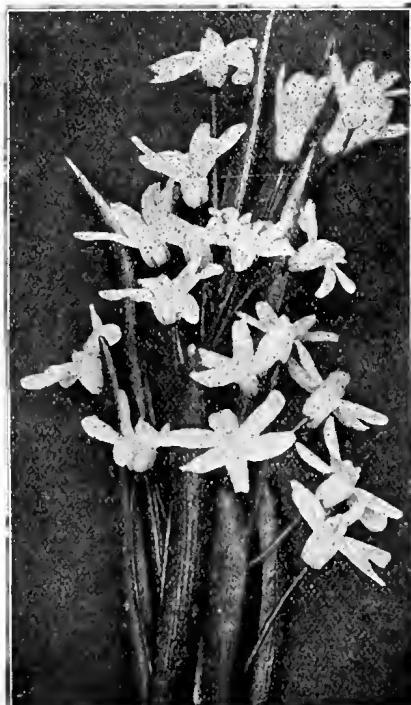
**"Little Gem."** A miniature variety of the White Calla, growing from 9 inches to 1 foot in height; it is very free-flowering and fine for pot culture. The flowers are less than one-half the size of the common variety, and can be used in bouquets, etc. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

**Black** (*Arum Sanctum*). This interesting variety from the Holy Land resembles in habit and foliage the White Calla, with flowers of a rich purple color over a foot in length and 4 to 6 inches across; the spike or spadix is about 10 inches long, and of an ebony-black color. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Spotted-leaf** (*Richardia alba maculata*). The leaves of this variety are deep green, with numerous white spots, which give the plant a very ornamental appearance. The flowers are white, with a black centre; they grow freely either indoors or out. (Ready in October.) 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Golden Yellow** (*Richardia Elliottiana*). A rare and beautiful variety; it has the same habit of growth as the ordinary white Calla, with flowers of the same size and shape, but of a rich, clear, lustrous golden-yellow color; the foliage is dark green, with a number of translucent creamy-white spots, which add much to its beauty. (See cut.) A large stock enables us to offer strong bulbs at the very low price of 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

One each of the 5 Callas, strong roots, for \$1.00.



CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE.

## CROWN IMPERIALS.

(*Fritillaria Imperialis*.)

Very showy and stately early spring-blooming plants. The flowers are bell-shaped, and are borne in a whorl at the top of the plant, which grows from 3 to 4 feet high. The Crown Imperial will grow well in any good garden soil, and if it can be said to have preferences, it is for a deep loam. At the time of planting the soil should be deeply trenched and well manured. They should be planted 2 or 3 in a clump, 6 inches deep, and then left alone for years. When established they flower abundantly, and the stems should not be cut off, but allowed to decay naturally. A slight covering during the winter is beneficial. (See cut.)

**Superfine Mixed.** Including red, yellow and shades of orange. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100. Add 2 cts. each for postage if wanted by mail.

## DREER'S GIANT CYCLAMEN.

There are few winter-flowering bulbs more attractive than the Cyc'amen, being an ideal plant either for greenhouse or window decoration. Not only are they beautiful when in flower, but the foliage is also highly ornamental, being beautifully mottled, and they are therefore highly decorative even when not in flower. The Giant strain here offered is much superior to the old type, being of more robust growth and throwing the large flowers well above the handsome foliage. It is often a hard matter to get dry bulbs started into growth. We have, therefore, concluded to send out only nicely started plants, which we feel sure will produce grand results, having been grown from our own choice strain of seed. We can furnish in any of the following colors:

Pure White. Blood Red.

Deep Rose.

White, with Carmine Eye.

**Price**, any of the above in extra fine plants, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

## COLCHICUM.

(Autumn Flowering Crocus)

See page 19.

## CROCUS,

See page 19.

## ERYTHRONIUM.

(Dog's Tooth Violet.)

Beautiful hardy plants, especially suited to moist, shady situations; the leaves are handsomely variegated, flower stems about a foot high, bearing lily-like blossoms of different colors; does well in pots; mixed varieties. 3 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.



DREER'S GIANT CYCLAMEN.



DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS (Bleeding Heart).

## ERANTHIS HYEMALIS.

(Winter Aconite.)

The Winter Aconite is a pretty yellow flower, valuable for its early blooming and contrasting well with the Snowdrops, which are the only flowers to keep it company at the early season in which it blooms. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 1000.



ERANTHIS HYEMALIS.

CROWN IMPERIALS.

## DIELYTRA, OR DICENTRA.

(Ready in November.)

**Spectabilis** (*Bleeding Heart, Seal Flower, or Lyre Flower*). An old-fashioned favorite, equally well adapted for forcing as for planting in the open border; its long racemes of graceful heart-shaped pink flowers are always attractive. (see cut.)

**Formosa** (*Plumy Bleeding Heart*). A dwarfer-growing species, with finely-cut ornamental foliage, growing about 15 inches high and producing its showy pink flowers from April to August.

15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

## Dreer's Superb Bedding Tulips

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FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS

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**Meleagris** (*Snake's Head, or Guinea Hen Flower*). An elegant species, growing from 10 to 18 inches high, bearing in spring curious drooping bell-shaped flowers, most of which are very oddly marked, many being checkered and splashed white and purple, cream and maroon, etc., etc. (See cut.) Perfectly hardy and splendid for naturalizing, especially in semi-shady places. Mixed colors, 3 for 10 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

**Recurva.** A beautiful and distinct sort from California, producing as many as a dozen brilliant, clear scarlet flowers, spotted with orange in the throat, on stalks 18 to 24 inches high; excellent for naturalizing. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

**FUNKIA** (Plantain Lily).

The Plantain Lilies are among the easiest plants to manage; their broad, massive foliage makes them attractive subjects for the border even when not in flower; they deserve extensive cultivation.

**Cœrulea.** Blue, broad, green leaves.

**Glaucia.** Large, showy, glaucous-green foliage, lilac flowers.

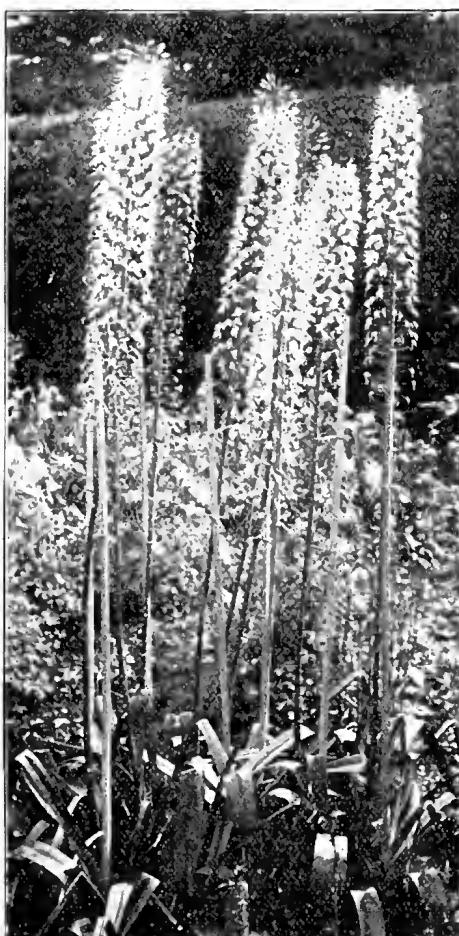
**Robusta elegans variegata.** A decided improvement on all variegated varieties, producing foliage fully double the size of the popular *F. undulata media picta*, which in variegation it closely resembles. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Subcordata grandiflora.** Pure white, lily-shaped, fragrant flowers.

**Undulata media picta.** Green and white variegated foliage, purple flowers.

**Thos. Hogg.** Broad, glaucous foliage, with white border.

**Price,** except where noted, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100. Set of 6 varieties for \$1.00.



EREMURUS ROBUSTUS.

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**Robustus.** A noble and rare bulbous plant from Turkestan and one of the choicest subjects for the permanent hardy border. They thrive best in a well-drained, sheltered, sunny position, and prefer a deep, sandy loam, to which has been added a liberal quantity of well-rotted cow manure. A covering of 4 or 5 inches of leaves or litter will be beneficial and save the young shoots, which start early, and are liable to be damaged by late frosts. It produces immense flower stems, 6 to 10 feet high, bearing a dense raceme of flesh-pink flowers, each nearly 2 inches across. (See cut.) Extra strong-flowering roots (ready in October) \$1.50 each; \$15.00 per doz.

**Himalaicus.** Another noble variety from the temperate Himalayan mountains, 4 to 8 feet high. Raceme nearly 2 feet long, of lovely pure white flowers as large as a fifty-cent piece. This is perhaps the hardiest and easiest grown of this magnificent genus. Strong-flowering roots (ready in October), 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**FREESIA.**

This is one of the most beautiful of all Cape bulbs, possessing a peculiar grace of form, and its fragrance is most delightful, one pot of five or six bulbs being sufficient to perfume a whole house. As cut flowers they are extremely valuable; the unexpanded blooms, opening in water, fill the air with the most delicate perfume, and their endurance is really remarkable. They force very easily, and can be had in flower at Christmas, and continue in succession until June. When potted these should not be placed in a dark place like most other bulbs, but should be put directly in the light.

**Refracta Alba.** Pure white; delightfully fragrant.

*Mammoth* bulbs, 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

*Selected* bulbs, 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Lelchtlill.** Large, pure yellow; fragrant. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.



FREESIA REFRACTA ALBA.

**GLADIOLUS.** *Ready in October.*

**The Bride.** A lovely pure white form of the Gladiolus Colvilli. The flowers are freely borne on long stems, and can be forced into bloom at a time when flowers are scarce. Six bulbs can be planted in a 6 inch pot. Equally good for forcing or blooming in the open. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100.

**Blushing Bride.** An exquisite soft pink variety. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.

**HEMEROCALLIS (Yellow Day Lily).**

Popular hardy tuberous plants, belonging to the Lily family; succeed everywhere.

**Aurantiaca.** Exceedingly large, trumpet-shaped, bright orange-yellow, sweet-scented flowers during June and July. 50 cts. each.

**Aurantiaca Major.** Very free-flowering, with trumpet-shaped, sweet-scented deep orange flowers, which, on well-established plants, measure 5 inches across; July and August; requires protection. 50 cts. each.

**Dumortieri.** A most useful variety, growing about 2 feet high, with clusters of Lily-like flowers of a soft rich yellow, exterior bronzy-orange; in June and July.

**Fiorham.** Produces very large golden-yellow, sweet-scented flowers during June and July. This variety is of American origin, and is one of the best. 50 cts. each.

**Flava (Yellow Day Lily).** A most useful and desirable herbaceous plant, producing its large, fragrant yellow flowers during July and August in the greatest profusion; the plants grow about 3 feet high.

**Fulva (Tawny Day Lily).** Tawny orange-colored flowers, excellent for planting among shrubbery; blooms in July and August.

— **Fl. Pl.** The double-flowering Tawny Day Lily.

**Gold Dust.** Very large golden-yellow flowers in July and August. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Kwanso Fl. Pl. (Double Orange Day Lily).** A double-flowering form of the Orange Lily that deserves being planted very largely; large orange-colored flowers shaded copper; blooms during July and August.

**Middendorffii.** A handsome, deep, golden-yellow variety, growing 4 to 2 feet high; June and July.

**Thunbergii.** One of the latest flowering varieties, producing its sweet-scented lemon-yellow flowers on 2½ feet high stems in August and September.

**Price** (except where noted), 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100. Set of 11 varieties, \$2.25.



HEMEROCALLIS AND FUNKIA.

**HELLEBORUS (Christmas Rose).**

Most valuable hardy plants on account of yielding with utmost freedom, at a season when flowers are scarce, their beautiful large—two or three inches across—blossoms. They succeed in any ordinary garden soil, but respond to any extra care which may be given them. They prefer a sheltered, semi-shaded situation. (Strong-flowering clumps ready in November.) 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**INCARVILLEA (The Hardy Gloxinia).**

(Ready in October.)

**Delavayi.** A new hardy tuberous-rooted plant, with fine, fern-like foliage and beautiful trumpet-shaped flowers of a deep rose-carmine color, with yellow throat, borne in clusters on stems 18 inches high. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Grandiflora.** A new and rare variety, with flowers one-half larger than the above and of a brighter color. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**IXIAS (African Corn Lily).**

These charming half-hardy bulbs, from the Cape of Good Hope, are very ornamental for indoor culture, or planted outdoors in well-drained and protected borders. They are graceful in growth. The flowers are of the most brilliant, rich and varied hues. (See cut.)

**Crateroides.** Fiery scarlet, large blooms. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.

**Mixed.** All colors. 12 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per 1000.

**VARIOUS IRIS.**

**Gracilipes.** A miniature variety from Japan, with delicate lilae flowers. 35 cts. each; \$8.50 per doz.

**Ochroleuca Gigantea.** A noble species, growing 4 feet high, with large, pale-yellow flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

— **Aurea.** A golden-yellow form. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Pallida Folia Variegata.** Conspicuous on account of its beautifully variegated foliage, which is evenly marked with broad bands of creamy yellow. Flowers are soft, pale lavender. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Pumila Hybrida Cyanea.** Rich royal purple, with blackish shadings. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

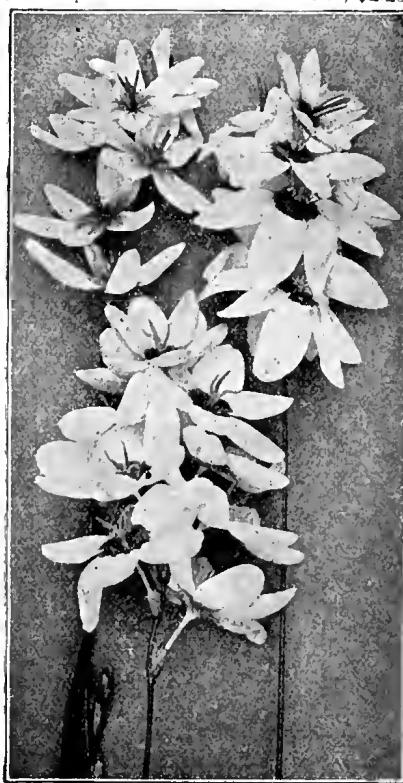
— **Eburna.** Pure white, with creamy-white markings. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Sibirica.** Purplish-blue flowers on slender scapes 3 feet high; useful for cutting. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

— **Alba.** White, veined with pale lilac. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

— **Orientalis.** Rich violet-blue; very free. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

— **Snow Queen.** A new variety of great merit; forms an attractive plant; flowers snow-white. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



IXIAS.

## IRIS

(Flowering Flag—Fleur-de-Lis).

Hardy spring and summer blooming plants, bearing large, rich and various colored flowers. They are of easy culture, and thrive in any good garden soil. The whole family have claims on the attention of amateurs, on account of their excellent faculty of taking care of themselves if properly planted in the first instance. No garden should be without some of the varieties, especially as they are valuable for cutting.

SPANISH IRIS (*Iris Hispanica*).

These have appropriately been called "the Orchids of the Hardy Flower Garden," some of the choicer Orchids being their only rivals, and even they can hardly be said to exceed them in richness, variety and beauty. They are of the simplest culture, succeeding in almost any soil or position. The bulbs should be planted 2 to 3 inches deep and 6 inches apart, early enough in the autumn to allow them to make some growth before hard frost comes. For best effect they should be planted in beds or groups of 25 to 100 or more bulbs—the larger the number the finer the effect. They flower about the end of June, and the bulbs may either be lifted or allowed to remain for another season.

They are also splendid for pot culture. Put 4 to 6 bulbs in a 5-inch pot, and treat the same way as Hyacinths, except that they should not be brought in for flowering much before March. We offer the following select sorts:

**Belle Chinoise.** Golden yellow.**British Queen.** Fine white.**Emperor.** Violet and blue.**Louise.** Pale pearl blue.**Chrysolora.** Clear canary yellow.**Sapho.** Dark bronzy brown.

Any of the above 15 cts. per doz. \$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1000.

**Mixed Spanish Iris.** 12 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$5.00 per 1000.**Collections of Spanish Iris.**

12 each of the 6 named sorts for 75 cts.

25 each of the six named sorts for \$1.40.

100 each of the 6 named sorts for \$5.00.



ENGLISH IRIS.

**ENGLISH IRIS.***(I. Anglica.)*

Large, handsome flowers, with rich purple, blue and lilac colors predominating; grows 18 to 20 inches high; perfectly hardy. (See cut.)

**Mont Blanc.** A beautiful pure white. 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

**Mixed.** All colors. 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**Peacock Iris.**  
*(I. Pavonia.)*

An exquisite small variety; flowers pure white, with a blue triangle on each petal; 1 foot. 3 for 10 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

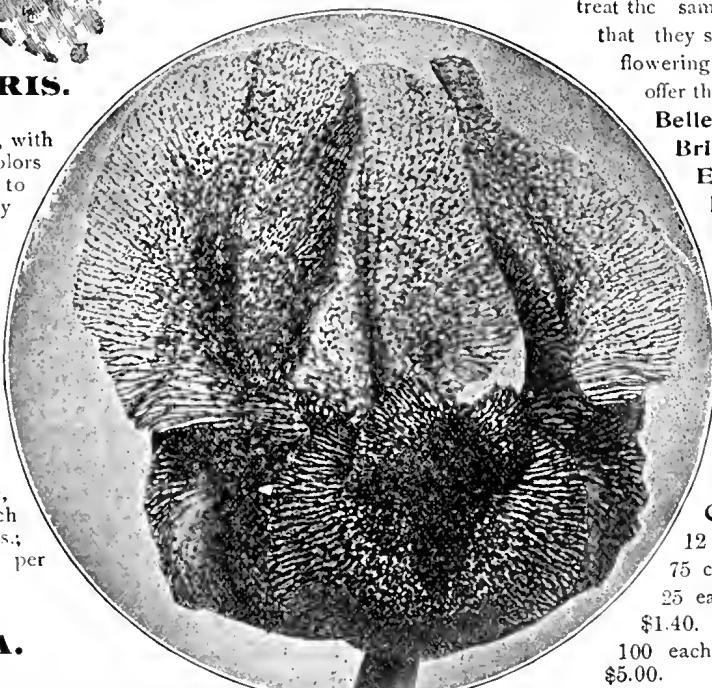
**IRIS RETICULATA.***(Netted Bulbous Iris.)*

One of the prettiest and sweetest of spring flowers, coming into bloom with the *IRIS SUSIANA* (*Mourning Iris*). Crocus. It is absolutely hardy, and will grow almost anywhere. The flowers are of royal purple and gold, and are borne freely on stems about 4 inches high, followed by grassy-like leaves 1 foot in height. It does beautifully indoors, six or more bulbs in a pan or pot making an exquisite display in midwinter. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**MOURNING IRIS** (*I. Susiana*).

In that wonderful combination of form and coloring of the rare sweet flower we call the Iris (the eye of heaven) there is none so peculiarly beautiful as Susiana. It stands out in its own right as the grandest of all species. The groundwork of the flower is silvery gray, so mottled and veined and lined with dark chocolate and black as to leave one under the impression that it is only a silver lining showing through. It is perfectly hardy without the slightest protection, blooming early in spring. No description can do it justice. It must be seen to be appreciated. (See cut.) 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.

**Japanese, German and various Iris** are offered on the next page.



SPANISH IRIS

**JAPANESE IRIS** (*Iris Kiempferii*).

These magnificent Iris are among the most beautiful of our summer-flowering plants and are becoming more popular every season. They commence blooming about the middle of June, and continue for five or six weeks. Many of these flowers measure from 10 to 12 inches in diameter, and rival the Orchids in their rich colorings. While this Iris succeeds in almost any soil and condition, it delights in a rich, deep, moist position.

(It would take a page or more to accurately describe these beautiful Iris. Below we merely give the general color effect. Order by name or number.)

**SINGLE-FLOWERING JAPANESE IRIS.**

These produce very large artistic flowers, with three petals.

- No. 1. **Iso-no-nami.** Silvery-white, veined throughout with violet; early.
- No. 11. **Hano-no-nishiki.** Violet-purple, veined with white.
- No. 12. **Shippo.** Light lilac, veined with purple.
- No. 14. **Shishi-ikari.** White ground, densely veined dark purple.
- No. 15. **Gekka-no-nami.** A very early pure white.
- No. 16. **Kumoma-no-sora.** Silvery-white, suffused throughout with soft light blue; the largest three-petaled variety in cultivation.
- No. 43. **Shi-un-ryo.** White, veined with violet-blue; large round petals.
- No. 55. **Shuchlukwa.** Crimson-purple, with white veins and large white halo.
- No. 62. **Misutmoshito.** White, marbled violet-purple.
- No. 75. **Otome.** A rich shade of violet-purple, sometimes marked with white.
- No. 76. **Mine-no-yuki.** White, veined and dotted bright purple. A fine spotted sort.
- No. 96. **Tebotan.** Violet blue, with prominent white veins.

**Price,** 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100. Set of twelve, \$2.50.

**DOUBLE-FLOWERING JAPANESE IRIS.**

Under this head we offer ten of the very choicest sorts, having flowers with six large petals.

- No. 4. **Yomo-no-umi.** The finest double white.
- No. 5. **Koki-no-iro.** Light violet, with white veins.
- No. 20. **Kuma-funjin.** White ground, with a broad border of rose-lilac, veined white.
- No. 26. **Uchin.** Bright crimson-purple, with few white veins.
- No. 54. **Ho-o-jo.** Rich velvety purple, with crimson shadings.
- No. 68. **Fujl-mine.** White-veined and traced with analine-blue.

**Price,** 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100; set of ten \$2.00.

**Extra choice mixed varieties,** 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**GERMAN IRIS** (*I. Germanica*).

The German Iris is one of the most desirable early spring-flowering plants. The flowers are of large size and of exquisite colors. No garden is complete without a collection of these beautiful "Flags." We offer the following choice sorts:

**Bridesmaid.** Standards pale parma violet; falls deeper, reticulated with violet-purple.

**Celeste.** Standards and falls lavender-blue, shading lighter towards the centre.

**Cherlon.** Standards lilac-mauve, falls violet-mauve.

**Edith.** Standards light plumbago-blue; falls purple-violet, with white veins.

**Florentina Alba.** Very sweet-scented, free-flowering white.

**Honorabilis.** Standards bright Indian yellow, falls chestnut-red.

**Johan de Witt.** Standards bluish violet, falls deep violet-purple veined with white.

**L'Avenier.** Standards and falls ageratum-blue.

**Lord Salsbury.** Standards amber white; falls dark violet-purple.

**Mme. Chereau.** Standards and falls pure white, faintly edged with light blue.

**Ossian.** Standards straw yellow; falls bluish violet.

**Plicata.** Standards bright violet-purple; falls deep violet-purple.

**Queen of May.** Standards bright violet, falls heliotrope.

**Shakespeare.** Standards straw yellow, veined with burnt umber; falls deep carmine-violet.

**Spectabilis.** Standards light violet-purple; falls deep violet-purple.

**Walneri.** Standards parma violet, shading lighter toward the edges; falls bluish violet.

**Price:** Any of the above, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100. Set of 16 varieties, \$2.00.

**Mixed German Iris,** 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.



GROUP OF GERMAN IRIS NATURALIZED ON EDGE OF BROOK.



JAPANESE IRIS.



### LACHENALIA.

(Cape Cowslip or Leopard Lily.)

This beautiful genus of half-hardy bulbs is comparatively rare in this country. The few specimens exhibited at horticultural shows create quite a sensation, owing to their profusion of bloom and their bright, diversified colors, as well as their ornamental foliage. Of easiest growth; can be had in bloom at Christmas, and lasts for a long time.

**Pendua.** Vigorous species; bright red, tipped with sea-green and purple, 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Tricolor.** Very free-flowering; spotted yellow flowers, margined with green and red; early. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Nelsoni.** A beautiful and distinct variety with golden-yellow flowers; one of the best. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

One each of the three sorts for 50 cts.

### LEUCOJUM VERNUM.

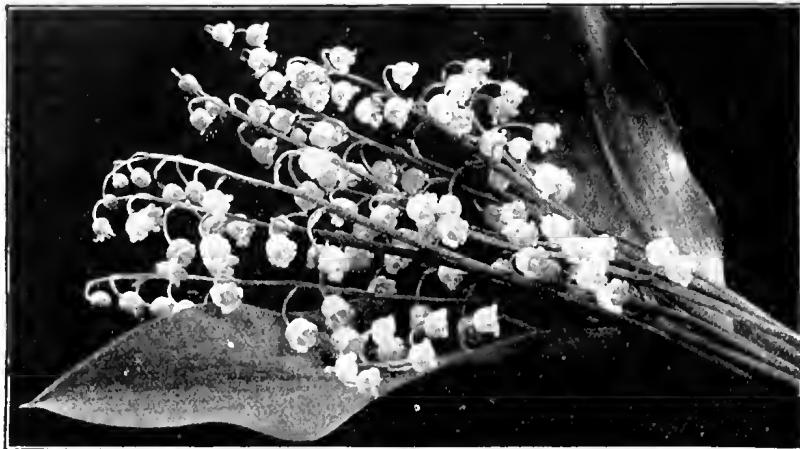
(Spring Snowflake.)

Pretty bulbous plants allied to the Snowdrop, but of much stronger and bolder habit, growing in rich soil from 1 to 2 feet high, and producing freely beautiful large white flowers distinctly tipped with green; excellent for cutting. When once planted they take care of themselves, and should have a place in all hardy collections; can also be grown in pots. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.



MUSCARIA BOTRYOIDES.

(Grape Hyacinths.)



LILY OF THE VALLEY.

### LILY OF THE VALLEY.

(Ready in November.)

One of the most charming of spring-flowering plants, and can readily be flowered in the house. The pips or crowns are received from Germany during November, and should be planted soon after their receipt. The simplest method for indoor culture is to place a bundle of 25 pips in a 7 or 8-inch pot, filling it up with sand, moss or light soil, allowing the points of the pips to be about an inch above the surface. They should then be placed out of doors and brought indoors as wanted, and put in a shaded place in a temperature of about 70 degrees, and when the spikes are 3 or 4 inches high they may be brought to where they are to perfect their flowers. By having a number of pots and bringing in at intervals, a continuous display can be had throughout the winter and spring months; we recommend clumps as most suitable for outdoor planting.

**Extra Selected Pips.** Bundle of 25 pips, 50c.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.50 per 1000. If wanted by mail, add 10 cts. per bundle of 25 pips for postage.

**Strong Clumps.** For outdoor planting. 30 cts. each; \$2.50 doz.; \$18.00 per 100. Clumps can only be sent by express or freight at purchaser's expense.

### Nerine Sarniensis.

(Guernsey Lily.)

A beautiful and easily-grown variety of Amaryllis. The lily-like blossoms are a brilliant crimson, and in sunlight appear as if sprinkled with gold dust; decidedly one of the best winter-flowering bulbs. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

### MUSCARIA.

(Grape and Feathered Hyacinths.)

**Botryoides** (Grape Hyacinth). One of the prettiest of early spring-flowering bulbs, growing about 6 inches high and throwing up numerous spikes of clear blue or white flowers, which resemble a miniature bunch of grapes. They are perfectly hardy, and once planted take care of themselves; in clumps or lines they are very effective. 8 to 12 bulbs in a 6-inch pan make a pretty plant for window decoration, blooming at Easter.

**Blue Grape Hyacinths.** 12 cts. per doz.; 60 cts. per 100; \$5.00 per 1000.

**White Grape Hyacinths** (Pearls of Spain). 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100; \$8.50 per 1000.

**Monstrosum** (Feathered Hyacinth).

An odd and interesting variety, growing a foot or more high, producing spikes of claret-colored flowers, which are cut up into wavy filaments in such a way as to resemble purple feathers; perfectly hardy and will grow anywhere. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$9.00 per 1000.



MUSCARIA MONSTROSUM.

(Feathered Hyacinth.)

**ORNITHOGALUM ARABICUM.**

(Arabian Star of Bethlehem.)

A very showy and distinct species, bearing racemes of white flowers with a black centre, having a sweet aromatic odor; grows 1 to 2 feet in height, and succeeds either outdoors or in pots. Excellent for forcing, and largely used by florists for this purpose. Of the easiest cultivation. (See cut) 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100. If shipped by mail, add 10 cts. per doz. for postage. No extra charge for single bulbs.

**OXALIS.**

These are profuse bloomers, and very attractive in the house or conservatory during the winter. Plant 3 or 4 bulbs in a pot; the pot should be kept close to the light to prevent the foliage from growing too long.

**Grand Duchess.** New varieties of great beauty; of dwarf, sturdy growth, throwing their large, exquisite flowers well above the foliage. Extremely free-flowering, never being out of bloom from November till June. One of the most desirable for window culture. We offer them in three distinct colors, Pink, White and Lavender.

**Bermuda Buttercup.** One of the finest of winter-flowering plants for pot culture, of strong, luxuriant growth. The great profusion of bloom produced in uninterrupted abundance for weeks is astonishing. The flowers are of the purest bright buttercup yellow. (See cut)

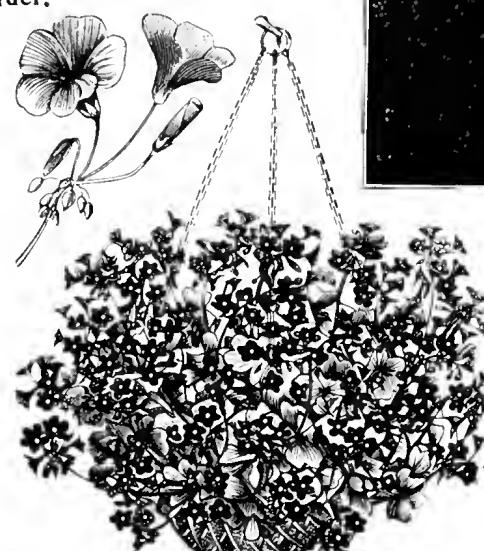
**Bowiei.** Brilliant carmine rose.

**Double Yellow** (*Lutea fl. pl.*). 3 cts. each; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

**Versicolor.** Red, violet and white.

**Price,** of any of the above (except where noted), 4 for 10 cts.; 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100.

**Mixed,** containing a large number of varieties. 3 for 5 cts.; 15 cts. per doz.; \$1.00 per 100.



BERMUDA BUTTERCUP OXALIS.



ORNITHOGALUM ARABICUM.

**PUSCHKINIA.**

**Libanotica** (*Striped Squill*). A beautiful hardy spring-flowering bulb; looks like a gigantic *Scilla Sibirica*; the flowers, however, are blue-white, with a darker stripe through the centre of each petal. Begins blooming in March, and continues in good condition for weeks. 3 for 10 cts.; 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**RANUNCULUS.**

These beautiful dwarf-flowering bulbs delight in a cool, moist atmosphere, and will repay extra care in cultivation. The curious, tooth-like bulbs may be kept out of the ground without injury for a long time, and if planted in spring in a cool, shady situation will generally give satisfactory results. They are also desirable for pot culture and for growing in frames in the spring.

**Persian Mixed.** Rose-shaped flowers; very double.

**Turban Mixed.** Double peony-formed flowers, many vivid colors.

**French Mixed.** Rare flowers of gorgeous colors.

**Price,** any of the above, 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per \$1000.

**JAPANESE TREE PÆONIES.**

The Tree Peonies (*P. Moutan*) differ from the herbaceous varieties in their growth, which is in the form of a dwarf shrub; they are equally free-flowering, and commence blooming about three weeks earlier than the double herbaceous sorts, and while also perfectly hardy they are benefited by slight protection through the winter. The varieties enumerated below have been selected from a large collection, and will be found very interesting.

Order either by name or number.

1. **Abokin.** Bright scarlet.
2. **Akashi - Iishi.** Blush-white, shading deeper centre.
3. **Daikagura.** Carmine, shading to rose at edges.
4. **Fuji-no-mone.** Pure white.
5. **Kakubanryn.** Creamy white.
6. **Iwato-kagami.** Fine; pink.
7. **Kamadafuji.** Soft pink.
8. **Nishikishima.** Bright, soft pink, blush margin.
9. **Ruribana.** Dark purple.
10. **Shokikagura.** Satiny-rose, shading to white on edges.
11. **Shiro-kagura.** White, suffused with pink.
12. **Yoyo-no-nomare.** Soft rose, the base of petals mottled.

\$1.00 each. Set of 12 varieties, \$10.00.



PUSCHKINIA LIBANOTICA.



HARDY HERBACEOUS PÆONIES.

**STANDARD VARIETIES DOUBLE HERBACEOUS PÆONIES.**

**Agnes Marie Kelway.** Rosy white guard petals, creamy white centre.

**Achille.** A beautiful soft mauve rose changing to almost pure white.

**Alba Plena.** A pure white.

**Andrie Lauries.** A fine tyrian rose, late.

**Canary.** Guard petals white, centre yellowish changing to pure white.

**Chrysanthemiflora Rosea.** A fine large deep rose-pink with paler shadings in the centre.

**Duc de Cazes.** Guard petals tyrian rose, centre soft rose-pink.

**De Jussieu.** Pale lilac rose with creamy white centre.

**Edulis Superba.** Soft mauve with lighter shadings.

**Festiva Alba.** Popular white.

**Festiva Maxima.** Pure white, centre petals occasionally tipped red.

**Humel.** Rose pink.

**Price,** any of the above standard sorts, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100. Set of 24 varieties for \$5.00.

### JAPANESE SINGLE PÆONIES.

No other plant flowering at the same season can vie with the Single Peony for beauty, and an established bed, when in full bloom, with the large, silky flowers, and appearing like immense single roses, is simply gorgeous.

**Dogrose.** Luminous rose, cup-shaped.

**Edward VII.** Deep carmine with yellowish centre.

**Imperial Queen.** Brilliant carmine, shading lighter.

**Purity.** Pure white, suffused with rose towards the centre.

Strong roots, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

### PÆONIA OFFICINALIS.

This type is the real old-fashioned "Peony," and comes into bloom from 10 days to two weeks ahead of the above sorts. All are strong growers, with large, full, double fragrant flowers.

**Alba.** Blush-white. **Rosea.** Bright rose-pink.

**Brabra.** Brilliant, glowing deep crimson.

30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz. One each for 75 cts.

## DREER'S Perfect Pæonies.

The Herbaceous Pæonies have always held an important place among hardy plants, and with the wonderful improvements made during recent years have established themselves among the leaders for popular favor. Their requirements are so simple—a good, rich, deep soil and an open, sunny position, if possible—which, however, is not absolutely necessary, as they thrive almost equally as well in a partly shaded position, and a liberal supply of water during their growing season, being sufficient to give an abundance and wealth of flowers which rival the finest roses in coloring, and produce during their flowering season a gorgeous effect not equalled by any other flower. They are perfectly hardy, requiring no protection whatever even in the most severe climate, are not troubled with insect pests or disease of any kind, and once planted take care of themselves, increasing in beauty each year.

### Eight Superb New and Rare

#### Double Herbaceous Pæonies.

**Duchesse de Nemours.** Extra fine, large, pure white; fragrant. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Artemise.** Outer petals bright lilac-rose, centre white, shaded with silvery-rose. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Edouard Andre.** Glossy crimson maroon, with yellow stamens. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

**Francois Ortegal.** Brilliant crimson, full double flower; one of the richest. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**La Tulipe.** Flesh pink, changing to white with few crimson markings; large globular flower. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**Marie Lemoine** (Lemoine's). Extra large; free-flowering; ivory white. 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz.

**Mme. Calot.** White tinted, with rose changing to creamy white; fine. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Mme. Forel.** Bright deep pink, shading lighter towards the border; one of the choicest pinks. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

One each of the above 8 superb sorts for \$4.00.

#### Double Herbaceous Pæonies.

**Lady Bramwell.** A beautiful silvery rose.

**Lamartine.** Solferino red shading lighter to the centre.

**Louis Van Houtte.** Brilliant crimson maroon, of good size, and very free-flowering.

**Ne-plus-ultra.** Violet rose guard petals, centre mauve rose with lighter edges.

**Paganini.** Light solferino red with lighter centre.

**Pomponia.** Rosy mauve guard petals, primrose yellow centre changing to creamy white.

**Queen Victoria.** A good early white.

**Rosea Elegans.** Guard petals silvery rose, centre creamy white suffused with rose.

**Rubra Triumphant.** Rich carmine purple with prominent yellow stamens.

**Victoire Tricolore.** Guard petals delicate lilac rose, centre light salmon yellow.

**Whitley.** A fine early white.

**Zoe Calot.** White suffused with delicate rose.

One each of the 7 varieties for \$4.50.

#### PÆONIA TENUIFOLIA FL. PL.

Interesting and handsome, not only on account of their rich crimson double flowers, which resemble in color the Gen. Jacqueminot Rose, but the fine, feathery foliage makes a handsome ornamental plant. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**SCILLAS** (Squills).

**Sibirica.** This is one of the prettiest of early spring-blooming bulbs, of dwarf habit, with sprays of exquisite rich blue flowers. Grown in masses, in conjunction with Crocus, Chionodoxas and Snowdrops, the effect is charming. Valuable for edging, and a dozen bulbs in a 5 inch pot make a pretty effect when grown indoors. 20 cts. per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Campbellata** (*Spanish Blue-bell or Wood Hyacinth*). A beautiful spring-flowering bulb; spikes of bell-shaped flowers in blue, white and rose; fine for naturalizing in the woods, etc.; perfectly hardy and requires no further care when once planted. This is one of the few things that will thrive under pine trees.

	Per Doz.	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Blue.....	\$0.25	\$1.25	\$10.00
Rose.....	.25	1.50	12.00
White.....	.25	1.50	12.00
Mixed, all colors.....	.25	1.25	10.00

**Peruviana** (*Cuban Lily*). A charming variety for growing in pots, producing magnificent umbels of rich blue and white flowers; unlike the other sorts, this variety is not hardy. 12 cts. each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.00 per 1000.

If *S. siberica* are wanted by mail, add 15 cts. per 100 for postage. Dozens mailed without extra charge.

**SPARAXIS.**

A beautiful class of bulbs, allied to the Ixias, and requiring the same treatment, producing spikes of flowers of the most exquisite and brilliant colors. Mixed varieties. 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per 1000.



SCILLA SIBIRICA.



SCILLA CAMPANULATA.

**SNOWDROPS** (*Galanthus*).

The charming Snowdrop is the first of all flowers to herald the approach of spring. It can frequently be seen in bloom when the ground is white with snow, as it takes every advantage, and hastens to display its graceful snow-white bells before the winter has disappeared. In conjunction with Chionodoxas and Scillas, a matchless effect can be produced. As the bulbs are small, they should be planted liberally in order to obtain immediate results. Banks, grassy slopes, edging or rock-work will suit all of these bulbs. They should not be disturbed often if a fine display is desired.

**Elwes' Giant.** An exceedingly large and beautiful single variety; flowers snow-white, with emerald-green tube. 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.50 per 1000.

**Single.** Pure white graceful bells; early flowering. 15 cts. per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.50 per 1000.

**Double.** Flowers perfectly double, pure white. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.

**Giant Cassabah.** The largest flowering of all the single Snowdrops. Very showy. The bulbs we offer have been received from Asia Minor, its native habitat. 30 cts. per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000.

If Snowdrops are wanted by mail, add 10 cts. per 100 for postage. Dozens mailed without extra charge.

**STERNBERGIA LUTEA.**

(*Autumn Daffodil*.)

Pretty, hardy autumn-flowering bulbs that deserve to be better known. In appearance they resemble a fine yellow Crocus, and a clump of a dozen or more together with a corresponding clump of Autumn Crocus offered on page 19 gives a touch of spring to the garden in autumn. This is supposed by some writers to be the Lily of Scripture, as it grows abundantly in the Holy Land, from whence our stock was procured. 25 cts. per doz.; \$1.50 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.



ELWES' GIANT SNOWDROPS.



SPIRA GLADSTONE.

**TRILLIUM.**

(Wood Lily, or Wake Robin.)

Excellent plants for shady positions in the hardy border, or in a sub-aquatic position, flowering in early spring.

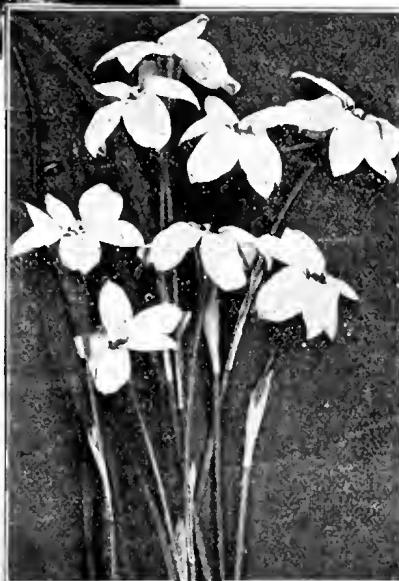
**Erectum.** This is the purple wood-lily, the earliest to flower.

**Grandiflorum.** The large white; probably the handsomest.

10 cts. each; \$1 per doz.; \$6 per 100.

**TRITELEIA.**

**Uniflora** (Spring Star Flower). A pretty little plant, suitable either for pot culture or open border, grows about 6 inches high and bears star-shaped flowers of a delicate blue-white; fragrant. 15 cts per doz.; 75 cts. per 100; \$6.00 per 1000



TRITELEIA UNIFLORA.

**TROPAEOLUM.**

**Jarrattii.** Graceful climbing plant for pot culture, producing richly colored flowers of scarlet, yellow and black in the winter months. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

**VALLOTA.**

**Purpurea** (Scarborough Lily). A valuable free-flowering summer and autumn-blooming Amaryllis; color rich red. It does well planted in the open ground in May, and when in bud can be potted and removed for conservatory or window decoration. It is one of the few really good window plants. (Ready in October.) 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**ZEPHYRANTHES.**

(Zephyr Flowers, or Fairy Lilies.)

Beautiful dwarf bulbous plants, somewhat resembling the Crocus in appearance; very effective for planting in the border in May, flowering with great profusion during the summer. They are also most suitable for pot culture. 6 bulbs clustered in a 6-inch pot in the autumn will give a fine display during the winter and spring. (Ready in October.)

**Alba.** Pure white.

**Rosea.** Large rose-colored flowers.

**Price,** either of the above, 5 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.

**SPIRÆA OR ASTILBE.**

(Ready in November.)

**Queen Alexandra.** A beautiful new variety, entirely distinct from anything in this line, the color being a soft pink. A strong grower, free-flowering and forces almost as easy as the other sorts. When grown indoors it should be kept cool when flowers are developing, this being necessary to bring out the delicate coloring. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.; \$40.00 per 100.

**Gladstone.** This grand new variety has been tried by many of the leading growers, who are unanimous in declaring it the finest in existence. The plants form very symmetrical, bushy specimens, and are remarkably free-flowering, a single clump producing from 25 to 40 large snow-white trusses; can be forced even easier than the ordinary Japonica. (See cut.) Strong clumps, 20 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Japonica.** A splendid plant for forcing in the green-house or the conservatory, where it produces beautiful sprays of silvery-white flowers from February till May. It is perfectly hardy, and when planted outside it blooms in June. Strong clumps, 15 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

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Most desirable free-flowering plants for the conservatory or window garden. We can supply in six distinct colors, viz.: White, yellow, orange, pink, red and carmine. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

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**Armata.** A most desirable house plant, succeeding under the same conditions as an Azalea or Camellia; the bright canary-yellow globular flowers are produced in March and April. \$1.00 each.

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**Versicolor.** An Aroid of dwarf growth suited to the warm conservatory; foliage light green, irregularly blotched with patches of grey and deep green. 50 cts. each.

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## ALOCASIAS.

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A handsome new species from New Guinea of this useful class of stove plant, with erect stems and short-stalked glabrous leaves, 4 to 5 inches long by  $\frac{3}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches wide, tapering at both ends; of a rich, shining green, regularly striped at close intervals with broad, white bands diverging from the midrib to the margin. \$1.00 each.

## APHELANDRA.

**Roezilii.** A pretty, hot-house plant, with silvery-green foliage and showy terminal spikes of bright, red-bracted flowers, produced principally during the late autumn. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



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Pretty greenhouse plants that have many good qualities. Their peculiar-shaped flowers of rich colorings frequently last on the plant from two to three months.

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**Veitchii.** A handsome species, with narrow leaflets of a dark green above and red underneath. \$1.50 each.

**Gracillima.** Similar to above, but with narrower foliage. \$1.50 each.

## ARAUCARIA.

(Norfolk Island Pine.)

**Excelsa.** As a decorative plant for the house this is one of the handsomest and most serviceable plants in our collection.

4-inch pots, 6 inches high	.....	\$0.50 each.
5-inch pots, 12 inches high	.....	1.00 each.
6-inch pots, 18 inches high	.....	1.50 each.
6-inch pots, 24 inches high	.....	2.00 each.

**Excelsa Glauca.** Identical with the above, except in the color of the foliage, which is of a bluish or glaucous color.

5-inch pots, 10 inches high	.....	\$1.00 each.
6-inch pots, 15 inches high	.....	2.00 each.

**Robusta Compacta.** Compact growth, producing even a more symmetrical plant than *Excelsa*; the color is a rich, deep green. Strong plants, in 5-inch pots, 10 inches high, \$1.50 each; 6 inch pots, 15 inches high, \$2.00 each.

## ARDISIA CRENULATA.

A very ornamental greenhouse plant, with dark green foliage, producing clusters of brilliant red berries. 25 cts., 50 cts., \$1.00 and \$1.50 each.



CHINESE AZALEA.

**ASPARAGUS.**

**Ducheni.** An entirely distinct introduction from the Belgian Congo. The plant is of strong climbing habit, with comparatively large foliage of deep green color. \$1.00 each.

**Myrocladus.** Of erect habit, producing fronds from 8 to 10 feet long, which when unfolding are a metallic bronzy color, which changes to a golden-green, finally maturing a rich emerald green. Large specimens in 11-inch tubs, \$2.50 each.

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**Lurida.** A very useful decorative plant; will succeed in any position; an excellent hall or corridor plant. 50 cts., 75 cts. and \$1.00 each.

**Lurida Variegata.** A pretty variegated form of the above, the foliage being striped with white. 75 cts. and \$1.00 each.

**AUCUBA JAPONICA.**

A half-hardy evergreen shrub with laurel-like foliage of dark green, freely spotted with bright yellow. A most useful plant for decorative purposes, either as a pot plant for the house in winter or for the lawn in summer.

Strong bushy plants, 12 inches high, 35 cts. each; specimen plants, 1½ feet high, 75 cts. each; 2 feet high, \$1.50 each.

**BAY TREES (Laurus nobilis).****Pyramid-shaped.**

3 feet high,	15 inches diameter at base.....	\$ 3.00 each.
4½ " " 24 to 26 "	" " .....	7.50 "
5 " " 26 to 28 "	" " .....	10.00 "
6 " " 30 to 32 "	" " .....	12.50 "
6 " " 32 to 34 "	" " .....	15.00 "
7 " " 38 to 40 "	" " .....	20.00 "

**Standard, or Tree-shaped.**

24 inches high, crown 15 inches diameter	....	\$ 3.00 each.
45 " " 24 "	....	6.00 "
45 " " 26 to 28 "	....	10.00 "
45 " " 30 to 32 "	....	12.50 "
45 " " 34 to 36 "	....	15.00 "
45 " " 40 to 42 "	....	20.00 "

**CHINESE AZALEAS.**

The plants we offer are all beautifully trained specimens, and even when not in flower are fine decorative plants. Our collection comprises the cream of the best European establishments. All sizes offered will flower freely in proper season.

First size, 36 to 45 inches in circumference, \$1.50 each; \$15.00 per doz.

Second size, 36 inches, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

Third size, 30 inches, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

Good bushy young plants, 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

An extra fine lot of specimen plants, 5 to 6 feet in circumference, \$4.00 each; \$45.00 per doz.

**THE LORRAINE BEGONIAS.**

These are undoubtedly the finest winter flowering plants we now possess. They form graceful, bushy specimens, which from October until April are completely smothered with their soft, delicately colored flowers.

**Gloire de Lorraine.** Soft rosy pink, of fine form.

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Good plants, in 3 inch pots, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

Strong " 4 " 50 " 5.00 "

Extra " " 6 " \$1.50 each; 15.00 "

**BEGONIAS.**

**Alba Plata.** Leaves glossy green, spotted silvery-white.

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**Metallica.** Dark, rough leaves; surface lustrous bronze-green.

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A collection of 12 choice sorts. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**BOXWOOD TREES.****Pyramid-shaped.**

HEIGHT.	DIAMETER AT BASE.	RACH.
30 to 36 inches.....	15 inches.....	\$2.50
36 to 42 " .....	15 to 18 " .....	3.50
48 to 50 " .....	18 to 20 " .....	5.00
54 to 60 " .....	20 to 22 " .....	7.50

**Standard, or Tree-shaped.**

HEIGHT OF STEMS.	DIAMETER OF CROWN.	EACH.
20 to 24 inches.....	12 to 14 inches.....	\$1.50
20 to 24 " .....	14 to 16 " .....	2.50
22 to 24 " .....	22 to 24 " .....	4.00



BEGONIA GLOIRE DE LORRAINE.

## BOUGAINVILLEA.

**Sanderiana.** This beautiful free-flowering variety is very popular, especially as a plant for Easter. It is of strong and rapid growth, and brilliant rosy-crimson blossoms are produced from early in March until mid-summer; in fact, a plant will frequently flower the greater part of the year. Altogether it is a most desirable subject for the conservatory or window garden. 25 cts. each.

**William K. Harris.** One of the most beautiful and useful variegated foliage flowering plants yet introduced, the foliage being beautifully marbled, with creamy white on a dark green ground. These markings are very decided, and the proportion of the two colors is almost equally divided. Valuable for decorative purposes in or out of bloom. Strong plants in 3-inch pots, 75 cts. each; strong plants in 4-inch pots, \$1.00 each; specimen plants, \$2.50, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00 each, according to size.

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A choice assortment of 12 varieties. Fine bushy plants, 15 inches high, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz. Stronger plants, 18 to 20 inches high, bushy, \$1.50 each; \$15.00 per doz.

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The following embrace the choicest varieties introduced to date:

**Boston Market.** A fine free-flowering white.

**Dorothy.** Clear deep pink.

**Enchantress.** Exquisite delicate pink, of immense size.

**Guardian Angel.** Very free fine pink.

**Harry Fenn.** Magnificent crimson, large and full.

**Harlowarden.** A fine rich crimson.

**Irene.** A fine yellow.

**Lady Bountiful.** Pure glistening white.

**Mrs. Patten.** White, beautifully marked with pink.

**Nelson Fisher.** Brilliant cerise.

**Prosperity.** Pure white, suffused with rose-pink, of immense size.

**Richmond Gem.** Brilliant scarlet.

Strong plants, prepared for winter flowering, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

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The Paris Daisy has long been a favorite, not only as a cut flower, but also as a decorative pot plant during the winter months. In this newer variety the pure white flowers are from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 inches in diameter, the greater percentage coming full double, not unlike an anemone-flowered Japanese Chrysanthemum. The remainder of the flowers on the same plant come semi-double and single, all of which are very handsome. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.



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**Discolor.** A beautiful climber for the conservatory, with mottled and marbled crimson and green foliage. 25 cts. each.

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**Balfouri.** A beautiful greenhouse climber, and admirably suited for house culture; flowering most profusely with bright scarlet flowers, enveloped in a creamy-white calyx. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

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## COLOCASIA.

**Neo Gulinensis.** Dark green shiny leaves, spotted with creamy white. A good subject for the stove or warm conservatory. 75 cts. each.

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**Zebrinus.** A pretty warm greenhouse plant with large dark green foliage and darker stripes. 50 cts. each.

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**Wallisii.** A handsome, ornamental, decorative plant for the warm conservatory. Its leaves, which are about 5 inches long by 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches wide, are of a rich deep green, irregularly blotched with pale yellowish-green. 50 cts. each.

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Valuable decorative plants both for lawn and house decoration; their heavy, glossy deep green fronds resist alike the gas, dust and cold to which decorative plants are frequently exposed.

Height of stem.	Number of Leaves.	Length of Leaves.	
4 to 6 in.	7 to 8	15 to 18 in.	\$0 75 each.
4 to 6 in.	8 to 10	18 to 20 in.	1 50 "
6 to 8 in.	10 to 12	18 to 20 in.	2 00 "
8 to 10 in.	12 to 15	20 to 24 in.	5 00 "



DIEFFENBACHIA BAUSEI.

**DIEFFENBACHIAS.**

Handsome decorative plants for the warm conservatory.

**Bausei.** Leaves yellowish-green, blotched dark green, and spotted white.

**Bowmannii.** Rich deep green leaves, blotched pea green.

**Jenmanni.** Long, narrow bright green foliage, marbled and spotted white.

**Magnifica.** Shining somber green foliage, with blotches and spots of pure white.

**Picta.** Dark green leaves with numerous white spots.

**Splendens.** Rich deep bottle green, with whitish striated blotches.

50 cts. each. Set of 6 sorts for \$2.50.

**DRACÆNAS.**

**Doucetii.** A beautiful and rare variegated form of *D. indivisa*, with dark green foliage, which is broadly edged with creamy-white. 5-inch pots, \$1.00 each.

**Fragrans.** An excellent house plant, with broad, dark green foliage. 25 cts. and 50 cts. each.

**Goldiana.** Of erect habit, with spreading leaves, which are of dark green, marked with cream white, irregular blotches and stripes; one of the finest stove plants. Thrifty plants in 4-inch pots, about 8 inches high, at \$1.50 each.

**Lindenii.** A beautiful variegated form of *Fragrans*, with broad green foliage and golden-yellow stripes on the edges. 50 cts. to \$1.00 each.

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**Pere Charon.** For richness and brilliancy of color this new variety surpasses all others. It is a broad-leaved form; with bronzy foliage, which is at its best during the fall and winter months, is of a brilliant luminous carmine-red. Strong young plants, \$2.50 each.

**Sanderiana.** A graceful, small-leaved variety, with glaucous-green foliage, which is edged with a broad border of creamy-white. 25 cts. each.

**EUCHARIS.**

**Amazonica.** A splendid hothouse plant, blooming at various seasons. It sends up stalks bearing several pure white, star-shaped flowers, 4 inches across, delightfully fragrant, and is highly prized as a cut flower. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



FICUS PANDURATA.

**EURYA.**

**Latifolia Variegata.** An evergreen shrub with rich dark-green foliage, which is beautifully variegated with creamy white; an excellant plant for house decoration. Large, showy plants, 75 cts. each. Also pretty pyramidal-shaped specimen plants, about 3 feet high, \$5.00 each.

**FARFUGIUM.**

**Grande.** A beautiful ornamental foliage plant, either for pot culture or for planting in open border in a shaded position; the leaves, from 8 to 10 inches in diameter, are dark green in color with bright yellow spots. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Kämpferi alba variegata.** Glaucous green foliage, edged and marked with creamy-white; a highly ornamental plant. 35 cts. each.

**FICUS (Rubber Plant).**

**Elastica (Indian Rubber Tree).** One of the very best plants for home decoration. Its thick, leathery leaves enable it to stand excessive heat and dryness. 4 inch pot, 10 inches high, 50 cts. each; 5-inch pot, 15 inches high, 75 cts. each; 6-inch pot, 24 inches high, \$1.00 each.

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**Pandurata (The Majestic Rubber Plant).**

A truly majestic plant. Its gigantic leaves are irregular in outline, of a rich deep green with creamy-white veins and of remarkable substance, enabling the plant to flourish under the most unfavorable conditions. One of the finest foliage plants of recent years. Good specimens, 24 inches high, \$4.00 each.

**Repens.** A trailing or creeping variety, with small foliage; useful for baskets, covering greenhouse walls, etc. 15 cts. each.

**FITTONIA.**

**Argyroneura.** A pretty trailing plant, with vivid green foliage, which is traced with a network of pure white veins; useful in the conservatory for planting in the surface of pots or tubs containing specimen plants.

**Verschaffeltii.** Prettily veined pink on a green ground.

25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

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### **ADIANTUM CUNEATUM.**

The most popular of the Maiden hair Ferns, and which, with careful treatment, will succeed as a house plant. Strong plants, 15 cts., 25 cts., and 50 cts. each.

### **ADIANTUM FARLEYENSE.**

The most beautiful of the Maiden-hairs, but requires the moist atmosphere of the greenhouse for its successful cultivation. 25 cts., 50 cts., and \$1.00 each.

### **ADIANTUM MACROPHYLLUM ALBUM STRIATUM.**

A rare variety with large pinnæ, which becomes beautifully tinted rose and bronze, which is intensified by the white variegation. 25 cts. each.

### **ADIANTUM RHODOPHYLLUM.**

This is somewhat in the style of *A. Farleyense*, but of smaller growth; an easy variety to grow, succeeding under ordinary conditions. 25 cts. each.

### **ALSOPHILA AUSTRALIS.**

(Australian Tree Fern.)

One of the quickest-growing and most majestic appearing Ferns in our collection. Succeeds admirably under ordinary conditions if not allowed to suffer for the want of water. Strong plants, 15 cts. and 25 cts. each.

### **ASPLENIUM NIDUS AVIS.**

(The Bird's Nest Fern.)

An interesting species, with large, dark-green foliage. 50 cts. each.

### **NEPHROLEPIS BOSTONIENSIS.**

(The Boston Sword Fern.)

This is the original Boston Fern, which for years has been the most popular house plant in cultivation. Young plants, 15 cts. each; specimens in 6 inch pots, 75 cts. each; larger specimens, \$1.00 to \$3.00 each.



PTERIS WILSONI.



NEPHROLEPIS WHITMANI.

### **NEPHROLEPIS SCOTTII.**

(Dwarf Boston Fern.)

Identical to Boston Fern, except that it is smaller in all its parts and of more compact and denser growth. In our judgment this is the ideal decorative plant for the house. Young plants, 15 cts. each; 6 inch pots, 75 cts. each; specimen plants, \$1.00 to \$3.00 each.

### **NEPHROLEPIS WHITMANI.**

(The Improved Ostrich Plume Fern.)

Unquestionably the most valuable of this type, superseding Piersoni, Barriowii and Elegantissima, all of which we have now discarded in favor of this variety. Not only is the pinnæ on the individual fronds more finely divided, but the fronds are denser, broader and more graceful, and the habit of the plant is more perfect. Young plants, 15 cts. each; 6-inch pots, 75 cts. each. Specimen plants, \$2.00 and \$3.00 each.

### **NEPHROLEPIS AMERPOHLI.**

This is the latest addition to the Ostrich Plume type, and is certain to prove a welcome and popular variety, holding for delicacy and gracefulness the same position among the Nephrolepis that Adiantum Gracillimum does among the Maiden-hair Ferns. The pinnæ is so finely divided that it reminds one of a piece of fine lace, the fronds are broad and of a depth which gives them a cushion-like appearance. It forms a beautiful specimen and is admired by everyone who sees it. Young plants, 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per dozen.

### **NEPHROLEPIS TODEAOIDES.**

(Todea, or Filmy Fern-like Nephrolepis.)

This is an English introduction that has received a first-class certificate both from the Royal Horticultural Society and from the Royal Botanic Society of London, and is likely to become a most important commercial variety. While in a general way it reminds one of an exceptionally well-grown plant of *N. Elegantissima*, it is entirely distinct from this and all others in its strong yet compact growth and its bold, heavy foliage, which is distinctly tripinnate, or three times divided. 4-inch pots, 75 cts. each; 6-inch pots, \$1.50 each.

### **PTERIS WILSONI.**

Among the crested forms of this beautiful genus this is the most desirable. It is of compact growth, with the pinnæ more densely crested than in any other variety. An elegant house plant. Young plants in 3-inch pots, 15 cts. each; specimens in 6-inch pots, 50 cts. each.



WINTER-FLOWERING GERANIUM.

**GARDENIA FLORIDA.**

(Cape Jessamine.)

Beautiful greenhouse evergreen shrubs, with delightfully fragrant, pure white, waxy flowers. 3-inch pots, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; 6-inch pots, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

**GENISTA.**

**Fragrans.** A most desirable spring-flowering plant, producing its fragrant, bright golden-yellow flowers in the greatest profusion. As a winter plant of the easiest culture it is unsurpassed. Especially desirable for Easter decoration. First size, 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.; second size, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**Geraniums for Winter-flowering.**

While undoubtedly the most popular of bedding plants, Geraniums deserve to be used more extensively for window and conservatory decoration, no other plants excelling or even approaching them for brilliancy and richness of color. We have aimed to make the selection below combine in the highest degree perfection of form and size of the individual florets, size of truss, purity of color, habit of plant and general excellency, and specially recommend them for the embellishment of the conservatory and window garden.

**SIX BEST DOUBLES.**

**Bertha de Presslly.** Delicate pure pink, sometimes marked with red.

**Colossus.** Rich dark velvety crimson.

**Double Dryden.** Bright crimson, white centre.

**Fleur Blanc.** Beautiful pure white.

**Mme. Landry.** Beautiful apricot-salmon, shading to copper, white eye.

**Mrs. Lawrence.** Soft satiny salmon, tinted white; very free. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. Set of 6 for 75 cts.

**SIX BEST SINGLES.**

**Alce of Vincennes.** White, edged and veined scarlet.

**Eugene Sue.** Immense trusses of brilliant scarlet.

**Juste Oliver.** Large trusses of medium-sized flowers of tyrian rose, shading to cardinal at base.

**Mrs. E. Rawson.** Salmon-red, upper petals shaded crimson.

**Snowdrop.** A fine large white.

**Sycamore.** An attractive and bright salmon-pink. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz. Set of 6 for 75 cts.

**HELICONIA.**

Stove plants with handsome ornamental foliage.

**Aurea Striata.** Leaves of deep, glossy green, marked by curving parallel lines of yellow. \$1.00 each.

**Illustris Rubricaulis.** Deep green foliage, with veins and stems marked with bright red. \$2.50 each.

**IXORAS.**

These are among the showiest of our stove flowering plants. The flowers, somewhat like a Bouvardia, are of most brilliant colors.

**Acuminata.** Fragrant, pure white flowers. \$1.00 each.

**Chelsoni.** Brilliant salmon-orange. \$1.00 each.

**Coccinea.** Bright red, in very large corymbs. 50 cts. each.

**Dixiana.** Deep orange, in large trusses. 50 cts. each.

**Flore lutea.** Very large creamy-yellow flowers. 50 cts. each.

**Incarnata.** Delicate flesh color. \$1.00 each.

**Javanica.** Deep orange-red. \$1.00 each.

**Prince of Orange.** Large orange-red. \$1.00 each.

**Williamsii.** Reddish-salmon, in large heads. \$1.00 each.

**JASMINUM.**

**Gracillimum.** Exceedingly floriferous; clusters of pure white fragrant flowers in autumn and early winter. 25 cts. each.

**Grand Duke.** Large, double white flowers; fragrant. 25 cts. each.

**Maid of Orleans.** Creamy-white, fragrant flowers. 25 cts. each.

**LAPAGERIA.**

Extremely beautiful, greenhouse climber, producing bell-shaped waxy flowers of great substance, lasting a long time in bloom.

**Rosea.** Rich rosy crimson. \$2.00 each.

**Alba.** Pure waxy-white. \$2.50 each.

**POUNDEROSA LEMON.**

Of strong, vigorous growth, producing freely flowers as large as a tuberose and as fragrant as the orange blossom, followed by gigantic fruit, many weighing from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 pounds each, which are useful for many domestic purposes. Good young plants 15 cts. each; strong 2-year old plants of fruiting size, 50 cts. each.



IXORA.

**MARANTA.**

Valuable decorative stove plants, remarkable for the richness and beauty of their varied foliage.

	Each.		Each.		
Alberti	\$.80	50	Luciana	\$.80	50
Amabilis	50		Makoyana	50	
Argyræa	75		Masangeana (True)	50	
Bachemiana	50		Media Picta	50	
Bambusæfolia	50		Mosella	1.00	
Bella	25		Musaica	50	
Costata Glabra	75		Oppenheimiana	50	
Chantrieri	50		Orbifolia	75	
Dealbata	50		Porteana	50	
Eximea	50		Pulchella	50	
Gouletti	75		Rosea Lineata	75	
Goveniana	25		Sanderi	1.00	
Illustris	75		Spitzeriana	50	
Iconifera	50		Splendens	50	
Insignis	50		Triumphans	75	
Kerchoviana	25		Tubispatha	50	
Kummeriana	50		Van den Heckel	75	
Leopardina	75		Vitatta	1.00	
Lietzel	50		Wailichil	50	
Lietzel Superba	50		Warscewiczi	75	
Lindenii	1.00		Wietl	50	
Lubersi	50		Zebrina	75	

We will furnish one each of the above grand collection of 44 varieties of Marantas for \$20.00.

**METROSIDEROS.**

**Floribunda** (*Bottle Brush*). A greenhouse shrub, producing long cylindrical spikes of bright red flowers. \$1.00 each.

**MOSCHOSMA RIPARIUM.**

An introduction from tropical South Africa, in habit of growth not unlike a Coleus, but producing from early in December until March dense feathery or plume-like erect panicles of small creamy-white flowers in great profusion, easy to grow. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**NEPHTHYTIS PICTURATA.**

An interesting ornamental stove plant, dark green foliage, with fern-like variegation in silvery white. \$1.00 each.



MARANTA MAKOYANA.

**OLEA FRAGRANS** (Sweet Olive).

An old favorite greenhouse shrub, succeeding admirably as a house plant, producing small white flowers of the most exquisite fragrance. 50 cts. each. Extra strong plants, \$1.00 each.

**OPHIOPOGAN.**

**Jaburan Variegatus.** A pretty variegated foliage plant, useful either as a pot plant for the window or for planting out in summer. 50 cts. each.

**OTAHEITE ORANGE.**

The best of the Oranges for house culture. It is of dwarf, bushy habit, and bears a profusion of fragrant flowers and edible fruit. Plants that will fruit the coming season. 25 cts. each.

**PANDANUS** (Screw Pine).

**Graminifolius.** Narrow dark green foliage, makes a pretty plant for table decoration. 50 cts. each.

**Pacificus.** A rare and beautiful species, with broad, massive dark green foliage. 3-inch pots, 50 cts. each; 4-inch pots 75 cts. each; 6-inch pots, \$1.50 each.

**Veitchi.** One of the best and most attractive of decorative plants for the house. The leaves are light green, beautifully marked with stripes of pure white.

	Each.		Each.
4-in. pots, 12-in. high,	\$0.75	6-in. pots, 18 in. high,	\$1.50
5 " " 15 "	1.00	8 " " 30 "	3.00

**PASSIFLORA** (Passion Vine).

**Principes.** This is the red-flowered Passion Vine, which is but rarely seen, but which is one of the finest climbers we have for the warm conservatory or greenhouse, an established plant being rarely out of flower. 50 cts. each.

**PHILODENDRON.**

**Spectabilis.** An interesting stove plant with large heart-shaped dark green leaves, with light veins. \$1.50 each.

**Pertusum.** A stove plant of climbing habit, with large perforated leaves of grotesque appearance. \$1.50 and \$2.50 each.



PANDANUS VEITCHI.

# PALMS



**Areca Lutescens.** One of the most graceful and beautiful Palms in cultivation; the foliage is of a bright glossy-green, with rich golden-yellow stems.

		Each.
3-inch pots, 4 to 5 leaves,	12 to 15 inches high	\$0 25
4 " 5 to 6 "	15 to 18 "	50
5 " 6 to 7 "	18 to 20 "	75
6 " 6 to 8 "	24 to 30 "	1 50

**Bactris Major.** A rare variety for the warm conservatory; leaves and stems densely covered with long spines. Fine young plants, 12 to 15 inches high, \$1.50 each.

**Cocos Flexuosus.** A tall slender growing variety, which can be grown planted out in the open in Louisiana and California. We offer a limited number in 9-inch pots, 8 feet high, with three to four leaves, \$10.00 each.

**Cocos Weddelliana.** The most elegant and graceful of all the smaller Palms. Admirable for fern dishes, as they are of slow growth and maintain their beauty for a long time. 3-inch pots, 10 inches high, 25 cts. each; beautiful specimens in 5-inch pots, 18 to 24 inches high, \$1.50 each; large specimens at \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$7.50 each.

**Kentias.** The Kentias give better satisfaction as a house plant than any other variety. They are of slow growth, and are not affected by the dry atmosphere of the house, and were we to select one Palm only, it certainly would be a Kentia.

### Kentia Belmoreana.

In.	Leaves.	In.	Leaves.	In.	Leaves.	In.	Leaves.	Each.
3	4 to 5	12	\$0 25	8	6 to 7	36	\$5 00	
4	5 to 6	15	60	In.				
5	6	18 to 20	1 00	tubs.				
6	6	24 to 30	2 00		11	7 to 8	48	10 00
7	6 to 7	30	3 00		11	7 to 8	60	20 00
					12	7 to 8	72	30 00

### Kentia Forsteriana.

In.	Leaves	In.	Leaves.	In.	Leaves.	In.	Leaves.	Each.
3	3 to 4	12	\$0 35	8	6 to 7	42	\$5 00	
4	4 to 5	15	60	In.				
6	5 to 6	24	1 50	tubs.				
6	6 to 7	30	2 50		10	6 to 7	60	10 00
					12	6 to 7	72	20 00
					12	6 to 7	84	25 00

**Latania Borbonica (Chinese Fan Palm).** This popular variety is too well known to require description.

3-inch pots, 4 to 5 leaves,	12 inches high	\$0 25 each.
4 " 5 to 6 "	15 "	50 "
6 " 6 "	20 "	1 00 "
8 " 6 to 7 "	24 "	2 00 "

**Licuala Horrida.** A rare species with deep green plaited foliage armed with stout spines. 3-inch pots, 8 inches high, 50 cts. each; 4-inch pots; 12 inches high, 75 cts. each.

NO collection of plants is complete without Palms. Their bold, majestic, yet graceful foliage, lends a grandeur and magnificence that cannot be obtained by any other class of plants, and no decoration, whether in the conservatory, hall or sitting room, is complete without them. Nearly all the varieties offered are of the easiest culture, succeeding under the most ordinary conditions. Our facilities for producing this class of stock are the most complete in this country, 35 of our largest houses—over three acres of greenhouse structure—being devoted to them alone, enabling us to supply all the leading and popular sorts at the most reasonable prices.

(The heights given are from top of pot to top of plant.)

**Martinezia Caryotefolia.** One of the most beautiful stove Palms, requiring a high, moist atmosphere to succeed well. The foliage, on large specimens, is from 3 to 6 feet long, of a light green color, with the stems, rachis and petioles densely clothed with long, dark spines. A scarce variety that we only occasionally are able to offer. Vigorous young plants, in 3-inch pots, \$1.00 each; 5-inch pots, 15 inches high, \$2.50 each.

**Phœnix Reclinata.** A strong-growing form of the Date Palm, with dark green, glossy foliage.

	Each
4-inch pots, 10 to 12 inches high	\$0 35
5 " 12 to 15 "	50
6 " 18 "	1 00

**Phœnix Roebelenii.** The most graceful of all the Phoenix, and a Palm which we feel safe in predicting will become one of the most popular varieties for room decoration. It is as hardy as a Kentia, succeeding admirably as a house plant. 5-inch pots, 12 inches high, \$2.00 each. Beautiful specimens, 18 inches high, 24 inch spread, \$5 00 each.

**Rhapis Flabelliformis.** Good plants of this interesting Japanese Palm, 2½ feet high, \$4 00 each; also two very handsome specimens, 6 feet high by 6 feet in diameter, \$125.00 each. These are a beautiful pair of plants.

**Stevensonia Grandifolia.** We offer a limited stock of this rare and beautiful stove Palm in thrifty plants in 4 inch pots, 12 inches high, 75 cts. each; 5-inch pots, 15 inches high, \$1.50 each; 6-inch pots, 18 inches high, \$3.00 each.

**Verschaffeltia Splendida.** Of this rare warm house Palm we offer a fine lot of young plants in 5-inch pots, \$2 50 each; also one fine specimen plant, 5 feet high, for \$50.00.



KENTIA BELMOREANA.

## Special Offer of Palms

We will send you a thrifty young plant each of Areca Lutescens, Kentia Belmoreana, Kentia Forsteriana, Latania Borbonica and Cocos Weddelliana, prepaid to any address in the United States for \$1.00.

### PHYLLOTÆNIUM.

**Lindenii.** A handsome stove plant, light green hastate leaves, ribs and veins creamy-white. 75 cts. each.

**Lindenii Magnificum.** A variety of the above with larger leaves and the variegation more decided. \$1.00 each.

### CHINESE FRINGED PRIMROSES.

Our collection of these well-known winter blooming plants has been grown from our unrivaled strain of seed, and embraces all the leading shades of color. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

### SANSEVIERA ZEALANICA.

An elegant variegated plant, especially adapted for house decoration, the thick, leathery leaves standing the heat and dust of the house with impunity. 15 cts. each; 4 for 50 cts.

### SCIISMATOGLOTTIS.

**Picta.** A handsome decorative plant. Foliage deep green, with greyish-white markings. 50 cts. each.

### SKIMMIA JAPONICA.

An evergreen shrub with dark, glossy green foliage, and bearing panicles of white flowers, followed by showy bright red berries, which remain on the plant the greater part of the year. A most useful plant for the cool greenhouse, or may be grown in open ground south of the Potomac. Strong plants, 75 cts. each.

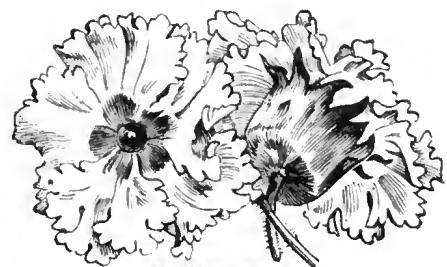
### SMILAX.

Too well known to require any description. One of the most valuable plants for bouquets, wreaths, festoons and decorations. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.

### NEW MYRTLE-LEAVED SMILAX.

A new and distinct variety, which is much more graceful than the popular type, not only on account of its smaller, narrower foliage, but the tendrils are less stiff, making it the most airy and graceful green for decorating. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

SINGLE VIOLET.



CHINESE FRINGED PRIMROSE.

### SPATHIPHYLLUM.

**Pictum.** A hothouse plant much on the type of a Dieffenbachia, foliage dark green with golden variegations. 75 cts. each.

### SPHÆROGYNE.

**Latifolia.** A magnificent hothouse decorative plant with large green foliage; a striking exhibition plant. \$1.50 each.

### STEPHANOTIS FLORIBUNDA

One of the most charming hothouse climbers, growing rapidly, with long, glossy, deep green foliage, and producing clusters of pure white, deliciously fragrant flowers. \$1.00 each.

### SWAINSONA.

**Alba.** A most desirable everblooming plant, with pure white flowers, produced in sprays, the individual blooms resembling a Sweet Pea. Its easy culture, freedom of bloom, and the grace and beauty of the flower and plant make it popular. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

### DOUBLE VIOLETS.

The double violets require the protection of a cold frame.

**Lady Hume Campbell.** A fine dark blue.

**Marie Louise.** Deep blue; very fragrant.

**Swanley White.** Pure white.

### SINGLE VIOLETS.

**La France.** Rich violet blue; a strong grower and very free-flowering; deliciously scented.

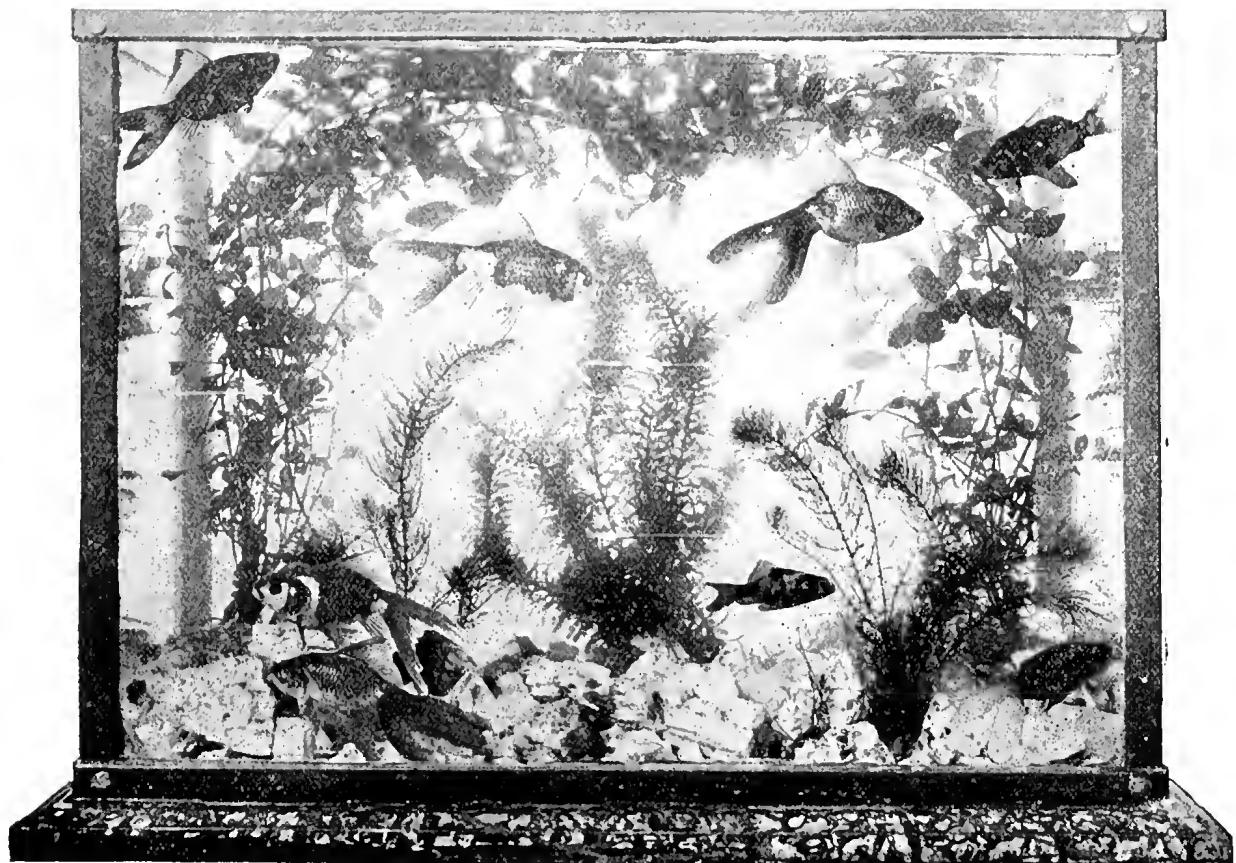
**Luxonne.** Rich but soft violet-purple; very sweet.

**Princess of Wales.** Not quite so large as Luxonne and a shade lighter in color; intensely fragrant.

**Price,** any of the above Double or Single Violets, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per dozen; \$10.00 per 100.



SCHISMATOGLOTTIS PICTA.



## Aquatic Plants for Aquariums.

There is a rapidly growing interest in the culture of fancy fish and aquatic plants in Aquariums, and it is doubtful if anything is more fascinating to the young as well as to the older members of the household than to watch the development of animal and plant life in the Aquaria.

It is absolutely essential for the welfare of the fish that sufficient plants be grown in the Aquarium to supply them with air. The list of plants offered below are the best known oxygenators, and there should be at least one plant to every two gallons of water.

**Anacharis Canadensis Gigantea** (*Giant Water Weed*). A beautiful submerged plant with dark green ovate leaves and light stems; of quick growth. The best oxygenator and a splendid Aquarium plant. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Cabomba Viridifolia** (*Washington Grass*). A pretty and popular submerged plant; leaves brilliant, glossy green, fan-shaped, regularly cut and more beautiful than the most delicate fern. 10 cts. per bunch; \$1.00 per doz. Pot plants, 25 cts. each.

**Cyperus Alternifolius.** An excellent plant for growing in water or damp places; will thrive in any good soil, and always presents a green and attractive appearance. 15 cts. and 25 cts. each; \$1.50 and \$2.50 per doz.

**Eichhornia Crassipes Major** (*Water Hyacinth*). A very showy floating aquatic, bearing flowers of a delicate lilac-rose in trusses like a Hyacinth. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Ludwigia Muletii.** One of the prettiest of the submerged plants. The small, ovate leaves, green above and pink on the under side, are very attractive and entirely distinct from all other Aquarium plants. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Myriophyllum Proserpinacoides** (*Parrot's Feather*). Long, trailing stems, clothed with whorls of the most exquisite foliage, as delicate as the Cypress Vine. Planted in water-tight hanging-basket, so water can be kept standing on the surface, it will trail finely. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Sagittaria Natans.** This plant is indispensable for the Aquarium; its long strap-like green leaves resemble the well-known *Vallisneria*. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Sagittaria Sinensis** (*Giant Sagittaria*). Leaves dark green; broader and stronger than *S. Natans*, and a freer grower; the best form for the Aquarium. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Salvinia Brasiliensis.** This pretty little floating aquatic is suitable for all Aquaria. The leaves are a soft green, covered with a delicate hairy surface. 15 cts. per bunch; \$1.50 per doz.

**Vallisneria Spiralis Gigantea** (*Giant Eel Grass*). A submerged plant with ribbon like leaves,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wide and from 1 to 2 feet long; a free grower and a good oxygenator. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

# DREER'S SELECT HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS.

THIS class of plants, familiarly known as **Old-fashioned Hardy Garden Flowers**, has come into public favor so rapidly as to astonish even the most sanguine enthusiast of these gems of the garden. Their popularity is not at all surprising when we consider the many varied and pleasant changes which take place throughout the entire growing season in a well-arranged hardy border, in which every week, yes, almost every day, brings forth something fresh and new. Beginning in April, early-flowering varieties open their flowers often before snow has entirely disappeared, continuing with constantly changing variety through the summer until late in the fall.

For customers who are not acquainted with the different varieties we offer the following "Introduction" collections, all good strong roots, that, when once planted, will, with very little care, keep the garden gay with flowers from the time frost leaves the ground until late in autumn.

12 distinct species, our selection . . . . . \$1.50

25 " " " " . . . . . 2.75

50 " " and varieties, our selection . . . . . 5.00

100 distinct species and varieties, our selection . . . . . 9.00

**All Hardy Perennial Plants.**, except where noted, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

## ACHILLEA (Milfoil, or Yarrow).

**Ptarmica Fl. Pl.** "The Pearl." Flowers all summer of the purest white.

**Filipendula (Noble Yarrow).** A showy species, with golden-yellow flowers in dense flat corymbs; in July; 2 feet.

**Millefolium Roseum (Rosy Milfoil).** Finely-cut, deep-green foliage; flowers pink, in dense heads; all summer; 18 inches.

— **Cerise Queen.** A new, bright amaranth-red variety. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Tomentosa (Woolly Yarrow).** Handsome cut foliage and bright yellow flowers in a multitude of flat heads during June; 12 inches.

**Eupatorium (Fern leaved Yarrow).** Finely-cut foliage and brilliant-yellow flowers all summer; 4 feet.

## ACTAEA (Baneberry).

Desirable native plants, with showy, dense spikes of white flowers, about 2 feet high, produced in masses in June, followed with handsome clusters of berries.

**Spicata alba.** Pure white berries on red stems.

— **Rubra.** Bright scarlet berries in long, dense spikes. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



ACHILLEA "THE PEARL."

All Hardy Perennial Plants (except where noted) at the uniform price of 15 cents each; \$1.50 per doz.



## ACONITUM (Monkshood, or Helmet Flower).

Forms bushy clumps, with spikes 3 feet long, of hood-shaped flowers, and are invaluable for planting in shady positions.

**Autumnale.** Deep purplish-blue; Sept.

**Napellus.** Large, dark-blue; Aug. and Sept.

— **Bicolor.** Blue-and-white flowers.

**Fischeri.** Pale-blue flowers in Sept., and Oct.

**Lycotomum.** Pale yellow; June and July.

**Strobianum.** Beautiful rich deep blue; July and Aug.

**Wilsoni.** A new variety from Northern China; grows 5 to 6 feet high, with very large flowers of light violet-blue in September. \$1.00 each.

**Price** (except where noted), 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

## ADONIS (Bird's Eye).

Beautiful early-spring flowering plants, about 12 inches high, with finely-cut, ornamental foliage.

**Davurica.** A Japanese species, with large, yellow flowers; blooms fully two weeks earlier than any other hardy plant. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Pyrenaica.** Large, orange-yellow. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Vernalis (Ox eye).** Bright yellow. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

## ÆGOPODIUM (Bishop's Weed).

**Podagraria Variegata.** Green and yellow variegated foliage, thriving in any soil; makes a fine border for a bed of shrubs or for covering waste ground; 1 foot.

## AGROSTEMMA (Rose Campion).

Stout, erect-growing plants, with silvery foliage, which contrasts well with the showy flowers which are produced during June and July.

**Coronaria (Mullein Pink).** Bright crimson flowers on stems 2½ to 3 feet high.

**Flos Jovis (Flower of Jove).** Deep pink flowers on 12-inch high stems.

## ALYSSUM.

**Rostratum.** Bright golden yellow flowers in June and July. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Saxatile Compactum (Basket of Gold, Gold Tuft, Rock-madwort).** An indispensable plant for the rockery or border, growing 1 foot high and producing early in summer masses of broad, flat heads of bright yellow flowers.

## ANCHUSA.

**Barrelieri.** Forget-me-not-like blue flowers with white tube and yellow throat; May and June; 18 inches. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Italica (Italian Alkanet).** A strong-growing plant, 3 to 4 feet high, with rough, broad foliage and large heads of deep blue flowers the entire season.

— **Dropmore Variety.** A grand improvement on the preceding; flowers deep blue; 1 to 1½ inches across; blooms all summer. \$1.25 each.



AQUILEGIA (Columbine).

**ANEMONE JAPONICA.**

(Japanese Windflower).

These beautiful Windflowers are perfectly hardy if given the protection of 2 or 3 inches of leaves or litter during the winter, and, planted through the hardy border, brighten it up during the late fall months.

**Japonica.** Beautiful rosy red.**Alba.** Large, snowy white.**Elegantissima.** Large, satiny-rose, semi-double flowers.**Lady Ardilaun.** A large single white.**Lord Ardilaun.** The finest double white. 25 cts. each.**Prince Henry.** Very double, deep, rich, pink flowers.**Queen Charlotte.** Large semi-double flowers of silvery pink.**Rose d'Automne.** Pale rose, double. 25 cts. each.**Rosea Superba.** Delicate silvery rose.**Whirlwind.** Large semi-double pure white.**AQUILEGIA (Columbine).**

Old favorite spring and early summer blooming plants, growing about 2 feet high, that succeed in any ordinary garden soil.

**Californica Hybrida.** One of the finest mixtures.**Canadensis.** Our native Columbine, bright red and yellow.**Chrysanthia.** The golden-spurred "Columbine."**Cœrulea (Rocky Mountain Columbine).** Blue and white.**Nivea grandiflora.** A beautiful pure white.**Truncata.** Scarlet, with yellow tips.**Vulgaris.** The European violet-blue Columbine.**ARABIS (Rock Cress).**

**Alpina.** One of the most desirable of the very early spring-flowering plants that is especially adapted for edging; completely covered with pure white flowers.

**— Flore-plena.** A pretty double-flowering form.**ARMERIA (Thrift).**

Attractive evergreen tufts of bright green foliage, from which innumerable flowers appear in dense heads, on stiff, wiry stems about 9 inches high. They flower more or less continuously from early spring until late in the fall.

**Maritima Splendens.** Bright rosy pink.**— Alba.** A pretty white.**ARTEMESIA.**

A most useful class of plants for the border.

**Abrotanum (Old Man, or Southernwood).** Dark green, finely cut foliage, with pleasant aromatic odor; 2 feet.**Frigida (Colorado Mountain Fringe).** Small silvery white foliage; fine for rockery or border; 6 to 10 inches.**Purshiana.** A white-folaged sort, suitable for edging; 18 inches.**Stellarana (Old Woman).** Deeply-cut, silvery foliage; much used in carpet bedding; 18 inches.**ASCLEPIAS (Butterfly Weed).**

**Tuberosa.** One of the showiest of our native perennials, 2 feet high, and producing from July to September heads of orange-colored flowers.

**ASTILBE DAVIDII.**

Unquestionably one of the most important additions to hardy plants in many years. Its 5 to 6 feet high stems, which rise from a tuft of pretty dark green foliage, are crowned with feathery plumes of deep rose-violet flowers during July and August. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**HARDY ASTERS.**

(Michaelmas Daisies, or Starworts.)

These are among the showiest of our late-flowering hardy plants, giving a wealth of bloom at a season when most other hardy flowers are past. Unless otherwise specified, they bloom in September and October.

**Amellus Elegans.** Deep bluish violet; 1½ feet.**— Mackii.** Pure violet; August and September; 15 inches.**Airship.** Pure white; August and September; 2½ feet.**Chapmani.** Light argeratum-blue, very graceful 5 feet.**Curtisii.** Pale heliotrope; August and September; 3 feet.**Datschl.** Pure white; October and November; 3 feet.**Horizontalis.** White, with prominent, deep purple centre.**F. W. Burbidge.** Light violet; 3 feet.**Lævis.** Light heliotrope; 3 feet.**Longifolia formosissima.** Bright violet; 3 feet.**Mme. Soyneuse.** Pale lilac; very free; 15 inches.**Mrs. F. W. Raynor.** Light reddish violet; 4 feet.**Novæ Anglie.** Bright violet purple; 4 feet.**Purpurina.** Bright violet purple; 3 feet.**Rosea.** Bright purplish-mauve; 4 feet.**Rubra.** Deep reddish-violet; 4 feet.**Ptarmicoides.** Pure white; August and Sept.; 18 inches.**Robt. Parker.** Pale heliotrope; large; 4 feet.**Snowflake.** Very free, pure white; 18 inches.**St. Brigid.** White-tinted lilac; August and Sept.; 3½ feet.**Thos. S. Ware.** Lilac mauve; 3½ feet.**Top Sawyer.** Clear Parma-violet color; 4 feet.**Trinervus.** Rich violet-purple; 2½ feet.**White Queen.** Large white; very free; 4 feet.**RARE HARDY ASTER.**

**Grandiflorus.** The finest of all and distinct in character and flower from all others. The flowers frequently measure 2 inches in diameter; are of a lovely dark bluish-violet. It is the latest-flowering variety in cultivation—October and November—and by lifting the plants can be flowered in connection with Chrysanthemums, where its effect is very beautiful. (See cut.) 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



ASTER GRANDIFLORUS.

**BAPTISIA** (False Indigo).

**Australis.** A strong-growing plant, about 2 feet high, with dark green, deeply cut foliage, and spikes of dark blue flowers in June and July.

**Tinctoria.** Spikes of bright yellow flowers during June and July; 2 to 3 feet.

**BOCCONIA** (Plume Poppy, or Tree Celandine).

**Cordata.** A noble hardy perennial, beautiful in foliage and flower, and admirably adapted for planting in the shrubbery borders, centre of beds, and in bold groups in any position. It will grow in any soil or situation, attaining 6 to 8 feet in height; flowers creamy-white in terminal panicles during July and August.

**BOLTONIA** (False Chamomile).

Among the showiest of our native hardy perennial plants, with Aster-like flowers, in bloom during the summer and autumn, and with its thousands of flowers open at one time produces a very showy effect. (See cut.)

**Asteroides.** Pure white; very effective; 5 to 7 feet.

**Latisquama.** Pink, slightly tinged with lavender; 4 to 6 feet.



BOLTONIA LATISQUAMA.

**CALIMERIS** (Star Wort).

**Incisa.** An attractive plant for the border; grows 12 to 18 inches high, producing from July to September daisy-like pale lavender flowers with yellow centre.

**CALLIRHOE** (Poppy Mallow).

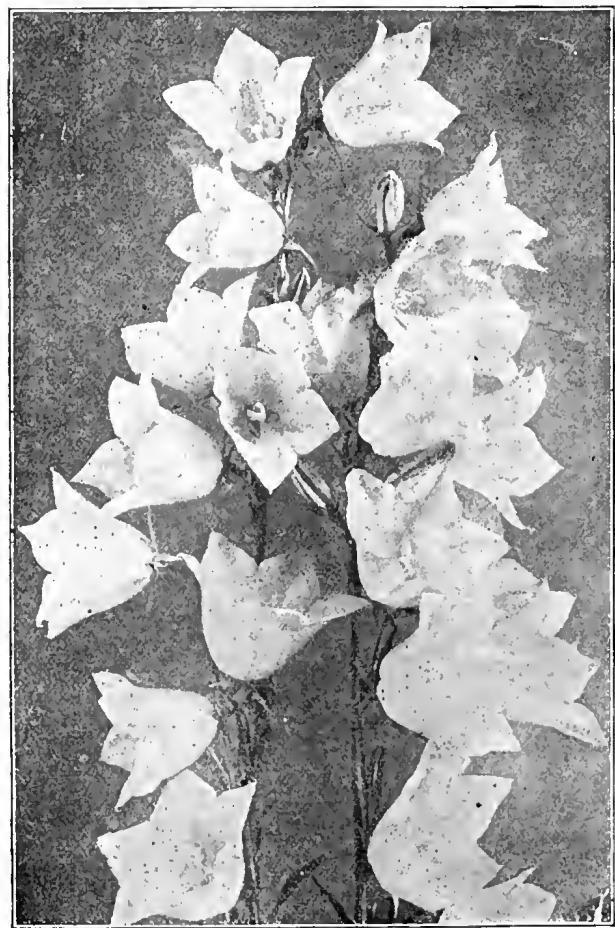
**Involucrata.** An elegant trailing plant, with large saucer-shaped flowers of bright rosy-crimson, with white centres, which are produced all summer and fall.

**Lineariloba.** Delicate light rose-colored flowers all summer.

**CAMPANULA** (Bell Flower).

**Ailiarizefolia.** Grows 2 feet high, with nodding white flowers in June and July.

**Barbatum.** Grows 1 foot high and bears during June large pale-blue flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



CAMPANULA PERSICIFOLIA (PEACH BELLS).

**Carpatica** (Carpathian Hare-bell). A pretty species, growing in compact tufts, not exceeding 8 inches high; flowers clear blue, 1 inch in diameter and blooms all summer.

— **alba.** The white-flowered form of the preceding.

**Glomerata** (Clustered Bell flower.) Grows 18 inches high, and produces from June to August dense clusters of funnel-shaped violet-blue flowers.

— **alba.** A white-flowered variety of the above.

— **Acaulis.** A new deep-blue sort. 35 cts. each.

**Grandis** (Great Bell-flower). Showy and attractive; large saucer-shaped violet-blue flowers in May and June; 1½ feet.

— **alba.** A handsome white-flowered form of the above.

**Grosseki.** Dark-blue flowers all summer; 2 feet.

**Lactiflora.** Large spikes of flowers, white tinted blue; June to August; 3 feet.

**Latifolia macrantha.** Grows 3 feet high, and in May and June bears large purplish-blue flowers.

**Medium** (Canterbury Bells). An old-time favorite. Blue, rose and white; 2 to 3 feet.

**Medium Caycanthema** (Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells). A beautiful form. Blue, rose white and lilac.

**Persicifolia** (Peach Bells). Grows 1½ to 2 feet high, and produces an abundance of blue saucer-shaped flowers during June and July.

— **alba.** A pure white form of the above.

— **Gigantea Moerheimi.** A grand sort with large spikes of pure white double camellia-like flowers, 2 to 2½ inches in diameter; in bloom from the middle of May until late in July. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

— **Humosa.** The double blue form of the Peach Bells and sent out this year for the first time. A splendid novelty. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

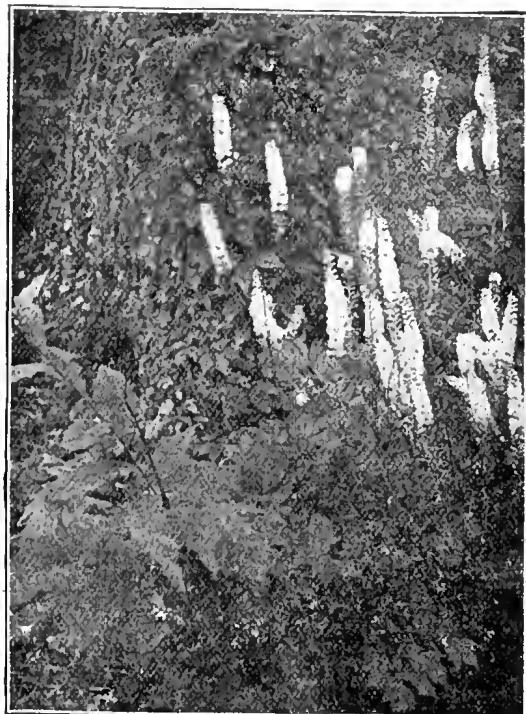
**Pyramidalis** (Chimney Bell-flower). The most conspicuous of all, forming a perfect pyramid 4 to 5 feet high, with large saucer-like blue flowers in September. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Rapunculoides.** Showy blue flowers in June and July; 3 ft.

**Rhomboidalis.** Produces from July to September showy purplish-blue flowers on stems 1 foot high.

**Rotundifolia** (Blue Bells of Scotland). This is the true hare-bell or blue-bell famed in song and story, with beautiful clear blue flowers from June to August; grows about 1 foot high.

**Trachelium** (Coventry Bells). Purple flowers during June and July; 3 feet.



CIMICIFUGA SIMPLEX.

**CASSIA** (American Senna).

**Mariandica.** Large panicles of bright yellow flowers from July to August; 3 to 4 feet.

**CARYOPTERIS.**

**Mastacanthus** (Blue Spiraea). A handsome hardy perennial; producing rich, lavender-blue flowers continuously from early in September until frost; 3 feet.

**CENTAUREA** (Hardheads, or Knapweed).

**Glastifolia.** Silvery thistle-like heads of yellow flowers; July to September.

**Hirta nigra variegata** (Variegated Button Weed). Prettily variegated foliage and purple flowers; 2 feet.

**Dealbata.** Bright rose-colored flowers; July to Sept; 18 inches.

**Macrocephala.** Very large thistle-like golden-yellow flowers; July and August; 3½ feet.

**Montana** (Perennial Corn Flower). Grows 2 feet high, bearing large violet-blue flowers from July to September.

— **alba.** Large white variety of above.

— **Rubra.** Large purplish-red flowers.

— **Lady Hastings.** Soft lilac-rose colored flowers.

**Orientalis.** Pale yellow showy flowers; July and August; 2½ feet.

**Ruthenica.** Straw-colored flowers in July and August; 2½ feet.

**CHELONE** (Shell-flower).

Stately and handsome perennials, growing about 2 feet high and bearing numerous spikes of large flower-heads during late summer and fall.

**Glabra Alba.** Terminal spikes of creamy-white flowers.

**Lyonii.** Heads of deep red flowers.

**Obliqua Alba.** Clusters of pure white flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**COREOPSIS.**

**Lanceolata grandiflora.** One of the most popular hardy plants. The flowers are a rich golden-yellow, and invaluable for cutting; the main crop comes during the latter part of June, but it continues in bloom the entire summer and autumn; it succeeds everywhere.

**CERASTIUM** (Snow in Summer).

**Tomentosum.** Silvery foliage and white flowers, suitable for the rockery, or for carpeting dry, sunny spots.

**CIMICIFUGA** (Snake Root).

**Simplex.** Most valuable by reason of its extreme late-flowering, beginning in September and attaining full perfection about the middle of October; flowering stems 2½ to 3 feet high, terminated with a dense spike of white flowers. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Acerinum, or Japonicum.** A pretty Japanese variety, with slender, erect stems, about 2½ feet high, of white flowers; August and Sept. 25 cts. each.

**Racemosa.** A handsome native species, bearing spikes of pure white flowers. 25 cts. each.

**Dahurica.** Large cylindrical spikes of creamy flowers in Sept. 25 cts. each.

**CHRYSANTHEMUMS** (Moonpenny Daisy).

**Nipponicum.** A Japanese species; grows 2 feet high, with thick foliage, and bearing its large, glistening white flowers during September and October.

**Shasta Daisy.** Large snowy-white flowers, in bloom continuously throughout the summer and fall.

**Hardy Pompon Chrysanthemums.**

These beautiful hardy sorts are indispensable in the hardy border. Their bright colors give life to the garden when most other plants have been destroyed by frost. We offer the following select list:

**Ashbury.** Sulphur white.

**Boston.** Golden bronze.

**Cerise Queen.** Cerise pink.

**Earl.** Pearl white with rose centre.

**Gladys.** French white.

**Jerry.** Bright lilac rose.

**King Henry.** Deep rose.

**Lady Olivia.** Beautiful white.

**Matilda.** Pure white.

**Northumberland.** Bright scarlet, with yellow disc.

**Patterson.** Yellow, with rose-bronze shadings.

**Prince of Thule.** Orange red.

**CEPHALARIA** (Roundheads).

**Alpina.** A rare plant, which attains a height of 6 feet, bearing in July and August delicate sulphur-yellow flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**SHRUBBY CLEMATIS.**

This type of Clematis forms erect bushes 2 to 3 feet high, and during their long period of bloom are very attractive.

**Davidiana.** Tubular bell-shaped flowers of deep lavender blue during August and September; deliciously fragrant.

**Integrifolia.** Produces attractive, large deep-blue flowers in great profusion during July and August.

**Recta.** Handsome pure white flowers in very large, showy clusters during June and July. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA.

## DELPHINIUMS (Hardy Larkspurs).

These are deservedly one of the most popular subjects in the hardy border; bold, attractive and highly prepossessing plants of easiest culture; perfectly hardy. They will establish themselves in almost any garden soil, but respond quickly to liberal treatment.

**Belladonna.** The free-est and most continuous blooming of all, never being out of flower from the end of June until cut down by hard frost. The clear turquoise blue of its flowers is not equalled for delicacy and beauty by any other flower. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100.

**Chinense.** A very pretty variety with fine feathery foliage and intense gentian-blue flowers in open panicles.

— **Album.** A pure white form of the above.

**Formosum.** The old favorite dark blue with white centre.

**Gold Medal Hybrids.** Unquestionably the finest strain of mixed hybrids ever offered. The plants are of strong, vigorous habit, with large flowers in spikes two feet and over long, the majority running in the lighter shades of blue. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**Sulphureum (Zafil).** An attractive species forming pyramidal bushes, covered during June and July with pure sulphur-yellow flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Mixed Hybrids.** A fine lot of seedlings grown from a select strain.

## DIANTHUS.

**Barbatus (Sweet William, or London Tufts).** Mixed colors. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

**Deltoides (Maiden Pink).** A charming creeping variety, with medium sized pink flowers.

— **Alba.** A pretty white-flowered form.

## DICTAMNUS (Gas Plant).

A very showy perennial, forming a bush about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet in height, having fragrant foliage and spikes of curious flowers during June and July, giving off during hot weather a fragrant volatile oil, which ignites when a match is applied to it.

**Fraxinella.** Showy rosy-pink flowers, with deeper veins.

— **Alba.** Pure white.

— **Caucasicus.** A new and gigantic form of the pink variety. Flowers fully double the size of the type. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.



DORONICUM.



DELPHINIUM BELLADONNA.

## DIGITALIS (Foxglove).

The Foxgloves, old-fashioned, dignified and stately, during their period of flowering dominate the whole garden.

**Gloxiniaeflora (Gloxinia-flowered).** A beautiful strain of finely spotted varieties. We offer them in *White, Purple, Lilac, Rose or Mixed*.

**Ambigua, or Grandiflora.** Showy flowers of pale yellow-veined brown.

## DORONICUM (Leopard's Bane).

One of the most effective very early spring-flowering perennials, growing about 2 feet high and beginning to bloom early in April.

**Caucasicum.** Bright yellow flowers 2 inches in diameter.

**Clusii.** Rich yellow;  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 inches across.

**Excelsum.** Large orange-yellow;  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches across.

25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

## ERIGERON (Flea Bane).

**Cœrulea Grandiflora.** Large light blue, in bloom continuously.

**Glabellus.** Large purplish-violet flowers; July to September; 15 inches.

**Glaucus.** Glaucean foliage and large purple flowers in June; 1 foot.

**Speciosum.** Large purplish-blue, with yellow centre; July to Sept.

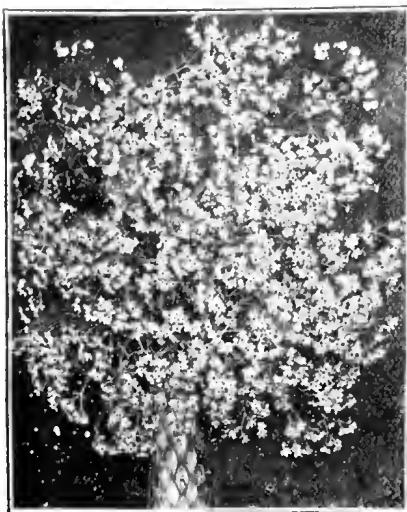
## EUPATORIUM.

**Ageratoides (Thorough-wort).** A useful border plant, of strong, free growth, 4 feet high, with minute white flowers in dense heads; August and September.

**Cœlestinum.** A pretty, hardy plant, with light blue flowers similar to the *Ageratum*; in flower from August until frost; 2 feet.

## EUPHORBIA (Milk Wort).

**Corallata (Flowering Spurge).** A most showy and useful native plant, growing about 18 inches high, and bearing from June till August umbels of pure white flowers, with a small green eye. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.



GYP SOPHILA PANICULATA.

**GAILLARDIA** (Blanket Flower).

**Grandiflora.** One of the showiest and most effective hardy plants, growing about 2 feet high; beginning to flower in June they continue one mass of bloom the entire season; they will thrive in almost any soil or position, but respond freely to liberal treatment. The large flowers are of gorgeous coloring. The centre is dark red-brown, while the petals are variously marked with rings of brilliant scarlet-crimson, orange and vermillion, and often a combination of all these colors in one flower; excellent for cutting.

**GYPSOPHILA** (Baby's Breath).

**Acutifolia.** A strong-growing kind, attaining a height of 2 feet, with large panicles of small white flowers in July.

**Cerastioides.** A most useful variety for the rockery, growing but 3 inches high, and producing from June to August small white flowers marked with pink.

**Paniculata.** A beautiful old-fashioned plant, possessing a grace not found in any other perennial. It forms a symmetrical mass 2 to 3 feet in height, and as much through, of minute pure white flowers, forming a beautiful gauze-like appearance. For cutting purposes it is exquisite; especially in combination with high colored flowers.

**Repens.** An elegant trailing plant for the rockery, with clouds of small white flowers.

**ORNAMENTAL GRASSES.**

**Erlanthus Ravennæ** (Plume Grass, or Hardy Pampas). Grows from 9 to 12 feet high, frequently throwing up from 30 to 50 flower spikes. It closely resembles the Pampas Grass. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; clumps, 50 cts. each.

**Eulalia Gracillima Univittata** (Japan Rush). Of graceful habit, with very narrow foliage; of a bright green color, with a silvery midrib. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; clumps, 50 cts. each.

— **Japonica Variegata.** A very ornamental variety; long, narrow leaves, striped green, white and often pink or yellow. Flower stalks from 4 to 6 feet. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; clumps, 50 cts. each.

— **Zebra** (Zebra Grass). The long blades of this variety are marked with broad yellow bands across the leaf. It makes a very attractive specimen plant for the lawn. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; clumps, 50 cts. each.

**HELENIUM** (Sneeze-wort).

All of these are desirable border plants, with broad-spreading heads of flowers, each species covering a long blooming season.

**Autumnale Superbum.** Grows from 5 to 6 feet high, with broad heads of deep golden-yellow flowers during the late summer and fall months.

**Grandicephalum Striatum.** Of strong, robust, erect habit, growing 3 feet high, with flowers about 1½ inches in diameter, in large, branching heads, of a deep orange color, irregularly striped and blotched with crimson; July and August.

**Hoopesi.** Pure orange-yellow flowers, 2½ inches across, and the earliest to flower, coming in early in June and continuing throughout the summer; 2 feet.

**Pumilum Magnificum.** A most useful summer and autumn-flowering perennial, growing about 18 inches high and almost smothered with its golden-yellow blossoms.

**Riverton Gem.** A new red variety which originated at our nurseries; a first-class variety. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**HELIANTHUS** (Hardy Sunflowers).

The perennial Sunflowers are among the most effective hardy plants for large borders, for planting among shrubbery, or as clumps on the lawn. They are remarkably free-flowering, will succeed in any soil, and are invaluable for decorative purposes or as cut flowers during the summer.

**Daniel Dewar.** The earliest to flower, bearing large single yellow flowers from early July till late August; 6 feet.

**Davidiana.** Lemon-yellow, single flowers about 3 inches in diameter, narrow petals, very distinct and attractive; 8 to 10 feet; August.

**Maximilliana.** The latest of all, perfecting its fine golden-yellow flowers in long, graceful sprays during October, when all others have finished flowering; invaluable for cutting; 6 to 7 feet.

**Miss Mellish.** Flowers in September and October. Grows about 6 feet high, with large, single golden-yellow flowers.

**Mollis.** Large, single lemon-yellow flowers, with downy white foliage; blooms in August and September; 4 feet.

**Orgyalis.** A tall variety, 6 feet high, with medium-sized single golden-yellow flowers during September.

**Rigidus.** One of the most desirable of our native varieties, beginning to bloom early in July and continuing until fall; flowers golden-yellow, with dark centres; 3 feet.

**Sparsifolius.** Of strong, vigorous growth, 6 to 8 feet high, and produces from August to September a mass of large, graceful, single, deep yellow flowers on long stems, making it a most valuable summer cut flower. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Tomentosus.** A distinct variety, growing about 4 feet high, and producing during August and September single rich, golden-yellow flowers. Very useful for cutting.

**Wolley Dod.** The best of the September-flowering varieties, with deep yellow flowers; entirely distinct.

**HELIOPSIS** (Orange Sunflower).

Similar in general habit to Helianthus, but commencing to flower earlier in the season; of dwarfer habit, rarely exceeding 3 feet in height; very valuable for cutting.

**Multiflora Compacta.** Orange-yellow flowers from July to September.

**Pitcheriana.** A desirable variety, beginning to flower early in the season and continuing the entire summer. The flowers are of a beautiful deep golden-yellow color, about 2 inches in diameter, of very thick texture, and very graceful for cutting.

**Pitcheriana Semiplena.** A new semi-double form of the above.

**Scaber Major.** Large, deep orange yellow flowers; the entire summer.



HELENIUM PUMILUM MAGNIFICUM

**HEPATICA** (Liver Leaf).

**Angulosa.** One of the prettiest very early spring-flowering plants, with white, red or purple flowers and handsome foliage; well suited for shady nooks in the rockery.

**Triloba.** A pretty native spring-flowering plant with pretty blue flowers.

**HESPERIS** (Rocket).

**Matronalis.** A strong-growing perennial, forming stout, bushy plants 3 to 4 feet high, with showy terminal spikes of pink flowers during June and July.

**HEUCHERA** (Alum Root).

Most desirable dwarf, compact, bushy plants of robust constitution and easy culture, growing 1½ to 2 feet high, and bearing during July and August loose, graceful spikes of flowers in the greatest profusion; excellent subjects either for the border or rockery, and of great value for cutting.

**Sanguinea.** Bright coral-red. | **Sanguinea Alba.** Creamy-white.

**Rosea.** Rose-colored.

**HIBISCUS** (Mallow).

A desirable border plant, growing 4 feet high, with large foliage and large, showy flowers of delicate coloring, produced during the entire summer.

**Militaris** (Halbert-leaved Rose Mallow). A tall-growing species with delicate flesh-pink flowers, tinged with deeper color towards the centre.

**Moscheutos** (Swamp Rose Mallow). Flowers 6 inches in diameter; of a light rosy-red color with darker eye.

— “**Crimson Eye.**” Flowers of immense size, purest white, with a large spot of deep velvety crimson in the centre.

**DREER'S SUPERB HOLYHOCKS.**

Few hardy plants combine as many good qualities as the Hollyhock. For planting in rows or groups on the lawn, or for interspersing among shrubbery, they are invaluable. The Hollyhock requires a rich, deep soil, well drained, and will repay in quantity and elegance of bloom any extra care. A slight protection during the winter will be beneficial.

**Double White, Pink, Salmon, Yellow, Maroon and Bright Red.** 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**Double Fringed Allegheny.** We offer in mixed colors stock grown from carefully-selected seed. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**Double Mixed Colors:**

**Old-fashioned Single.** A fine strain of these old-time favorites; mixed colors.

**IBERIS** (Candytuft).

A most desirable dwarf plant with evergreen foliage, which is completely hidden with dense heads of flowers early in the spring.

**Corræfolia.** Grows about 9 inches high and produces its white flowers in April and May.

**Sempervirens Superba** (Evergreen Candytuft). Produces innumerable flat heads of pure white flowers during April and May.

**Sempervirens Fl. Pl.** A pretty double-flowered form of the above.

**Sempervirens Little Gem.** A perfect gem, 3 inches high, covered with white flowers. Fine for the rockery.

**Snowflake.** A new variety and a grand improvement on existing sorts, having exceptionally large and pure white flowers, and borne in great masses during May and June. 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.

**LIATRIS** (Blazing Star, or Gay Feather).

Most showy and attractive native plants, producing their large spikes of flowers from July to September.

**Graminæfolia.** Spikes 2 feet high of rich rosy-purple flowers.

**Pycnostachya** (Kansas Gay Feather). Spikes of light, rosy-purple flowers; 5 feet.

**Scarlosa.** Deep purple flowers in spikes 3 to 4 feet high.

**Spicata.** Deep purple flowers in spikes 2 to 3 feet high.

**LOBELIAS.**

Handsome border plants, thriving in any ordinary garden soil, but preferring a moist, deep loam, where they will not suffer from drought. Few plants are more effective at their season of bloom, which extends from early in August till late in September.

**Cardinalis** (Cardinal Flower). Rich, fiery cardinal flowers.

**Syphilitica hybrida** (Great Lobelia). A choice selection of our native Lobelia, producing large spikes of flowers varying from blue to pure white; July to September.

**LUPINUS** (Lupine).

**Polyphyllus.** An effective plant about 3 feet high, producing its large spikes of blue flowers from June to September.

**LYSIMACHIA.**

**Clethroides** (Loose-strife). A fine, hardy variety, about 2 feet high, with long, dense, recurved spikes of pure white flowers from July to September.

**LYTHRUM.**

**Roseum Superbum** (Rose Loose-strife). A strong-growing plant, 3 to 4 feet high, thriving in almost any position, producing large spikes of rose-colored flowers from July to September.



LOBELIA CARDINALIS.



HEUCHERA SANGUINEA.



MONARDA DIDYMA SPLENDENS.

## MENTHA (Mint).

**Piperita** (*Common Peppermint*).**Rotundifolia variegata**. Foliage dark green, with creamy-white variegation.**Spicata, or Virides** (*Spearmint*).

10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

## MONARDA (Bergamot).

Showy plants, growing from 2 to 3 feet high, with aromatic foliage, and producing their flowers during July and August.

**Didyma** (*Oswego Tea*). Flowers bright scarlet, produced in spikes.— **Cambridge Scarlet**. Brilliant crimson scarlet.— **Rosea** (*Bee Balm*). A pretty rose-colored form.— **Splendens**. Intense rich crimson-scarlet. (See cut.)**Fistulosa Alba** (*Wild Bergamot*). A showy white flowered variety.

## NIEREMBERGIA (Cup-flower).

**Rivularis**. A charming dwarf creeping Alpine plant, bearing large, creamy-white, cup-shaped flowers from June till September; one of the most desirable plants for the rockery, and succeeds equally well in the border.

## ENOOTHERA (Evening Primrose).

**Missouriensis**. Large golden-yellow; 1 foot.

## PACHYSANDRA.

**Terminalis**. A trailing plant, 6 to 8 inches high, forming broad mats of bright, glossy green foliage and small spikes of flowers during May and June; mainly valuable on account of its foliage.— **Variegata**. A variegated-leaved form of the above.

## PARDANTHUS (Blackberry Lily).

**Sinensis**. Lily-like flowers of bright orange during July and August, on 2½ feet high stems, followed in September with seeds which resemble blackberries. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.

## PETASITES.

**Fragrans** (*Winter Heliotrope*). Grows about 1 foot high, and produces, frequently as early as the middle of March, numerous spikes of strongly heliotrope-scented flowers. An excellent plant for low, moist ground.

## POTENTILLA (Cinquefoil).

Charming plants for the border, with brilliant flowers that are produced from June to August in profusion; they grow about 18 inches high, and will succeed in any garden soil; double-flowering except where noted.

**Formosa**. Single, rosy-red.**Hamlet**. Dark rich crimson.**MacNabiana**. Rich crimson.**Perfecta**. Vermilion, lemon centre.**Phoenix**. Scarlet, marked yellow.**Sanguinea**. Single, orange-red, marked yellow.**Wm. Rollison**. Bright vermilion.

## LYCHNIS (Campion).

All of the Lychnis are of the easiest culture, and this, in addition to their brightness, has brought them into high favor with lovers of hardy plants. Perhaps no class of plants has more common or popular names than the various varieties of Lychnis, of which the following is but a partial list: Campion, Devil's Flower, Gardener's Delight, Gauden's Eye, Jerusalem Cross, Lamp Flower, Maltese Cross, None Such, Ragged Robin, etc. *I. Chalcedonica* is also called London Pride in some of the Eastern States; this name, however, belongs to *Saxifraga Umbrosa*.

**Chalcedonica**. A most desirable plant, heads of brilliant orange-scarlet, grows 2 to 3 feet high and blooms all summer. (See cut.)

**Chalcedonica, Fl. Pl.** A double-flowering form, producing immense heads of vermilion-scarlet flowers, far exceeding in brilliancy the brightest Geraniums; 2 to 3 feet high, flowering from July to September. A gem for cutting, and one of the showiest border plants. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

— **Alba**. White-flowered form. | — **Carnea**. A pale pink variety.

**Dolca Rosea**. Produces masses of rose-colored flowers; May and June; 15 inches.

**Haageana**. Brilliant orange-scarlet flowers in May and June; 12 inches.

**Semperflorens Plenissima**. This pretty variety flowers throughout the entire summer. The flower is of a beautiful, tender rose color, and is produced in bushy spikes 12 inches long.

**Vespertina, Double White**. Large, double white flowers, produced in the greatest profusion the entire summer; 18 inches high. 25 cents each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Viscaria, Double Red**. Forms a dense tuft of evergreen foliage, and in June sends up spikes of handsome, double, deep-red, fragrant flowers, remaining in perfection for six weeks.

**Grandiflora alba**. Very attractive, large, single white flowers in June and July.

## MERTENSIA (Blue Bells).

**Virginica**. An early spring-flowering plant, growing about 1 to 1½ feet high, with drooping panicles of handsome white-blue flowers, fading to clear pink; one of the most interesting of our native spring flowers; May and June.



LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA.

**PENTSTEMON** (Beard Tongue).

Most useful perennials, either for the border or rockery.

**Acuminatus.** Forms a dense plant a foot high, flowers lilac changing to violet; June and July.

**Barbatus Torreyi.** Spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers; height, 3 to 4 ft.; June to Aug.

**Cobaea.** Large white and purple flowers all summer; 18 inches.

**Difflusus.** Violet-blue flowers; June and July; 2 feet.

**Digitallis.** Large spikes of long, purple-white flowers, with purple throats, during June and July; 2 to 3 feet.

**Glaber.** A trailing species, about a foot high, bearing in early summer showy flowers, varying from light to dark blue.

**Grandiflorum.** Large bright purplish-blue flowers in spring; 2½ feet.

**Heterophyllus.** Lovely azure-blue flowers in summer; 2 feet.

**Ovatus.** Bright blue shaded purple flowers; July to September; 2 feet.

**Pubescens.** Bright rosy-purple; July and August; 1½ feet.

**Smallii.** Rosy-carmine flowers in early summer; 1 foot.

**Spectabilis.** A pretty rosy-purple; very attractive; June and July; 2 to 3 feet.

**PHYSOSTEGIA** (False Dragon-Head).

One of the most beautiful of our midsummer-flowering perennials, forming dense bushes 3 to 4 feet high, bearing spikes of delicate tubular flowers not unlike a gigantic heather. (See cut.)

**Virginica.** Bright, but soft pink.

— **alba.** Pure white; very fine.

— **Grandiflora.** An improved variety with flowers almost double the size of the type. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

— **Speciosa.** Very delicate pink.

**PHYSALIS** (Chinese Lantern Plant).

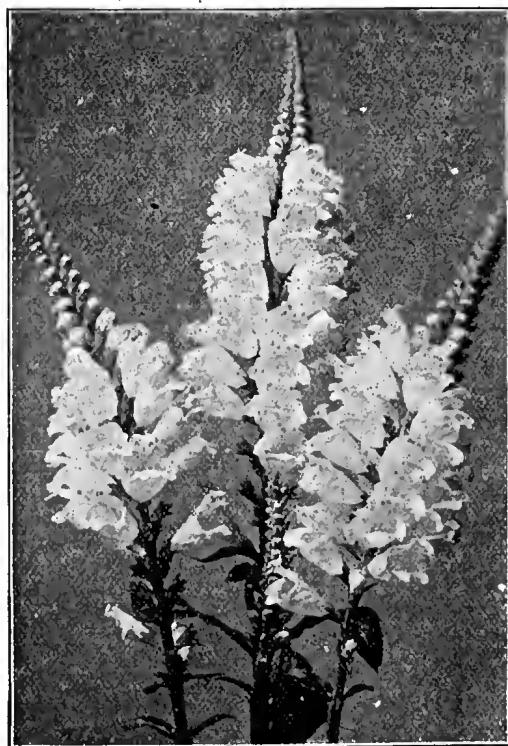
**Franchetii.** An ornamental variety of the Winter Cherry, forming dense bushes 2 feet high, producing bright orange-scarlet lantern-like fruits; highly interesting.

**PLUMBAGO** (Lead-wort).

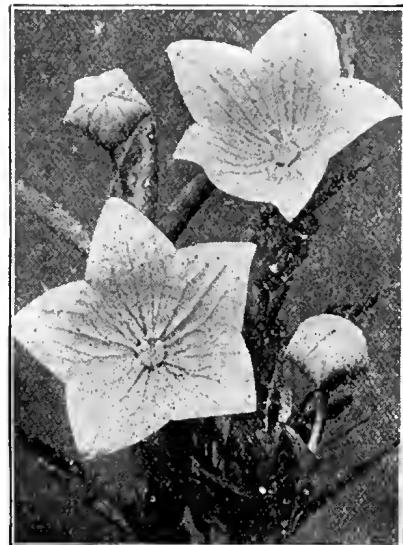
**Larpentæ.** Of dwarf, spreading habit, growing 4 to 6 inches high; useful as an edging plant or for the rockery; covered with beautiful deep blue flowers during the summer and fall months.

**PODOPHYLLUM.**

**Peltatum** (May Apple, or Mandrake). A well-known native plant which is worthy of a place in every shady border. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.



PHYSOSTEGIA.



PLATYCODON GRANDIFLORA.

**HARDY GARDEN PINKS.**

Old favorites, bearing their sweet clove-scented flowers in the greatest profusion during May and June; 1 foot.

**Delicata.** Soft delicate rose; very free.

**Diamond.** A fine extra early-flowering fringed white.

**Elise.** Bright rose with maroon centre.

**Her Majesty.** Flowers of large size and of the purest white.

**Homer.** Rich rosy-red with dark centre.

**Juliette.** White, laced crimson.

**Laura Wilmer.** White, with purplish maroon centre.

**Sir Charles.** Large rosy-red.

**Snow.** A fine pure white.

**Souv. de Salle.** Soft rosy-red.

**Stanislaus.** Violet-rose, with deep crimson centre.

**White Reserve.** An everblooming pure white.

**PLATYCODON.**

(Balloon Flower, or Japanese Bell-flower.)

The Platycodons are closely allied to the Campanulas, and form neat, branched bushes of upright habit, which bear a continual succession of flowers from June until October.

**Grandiflorum.** Deep blue cupped, star-shaped flowers; 1½ ft. (See cut.)

— **Album.** A white-flowered form of the above.

**Marlesii.** Deep blue bell-shaped flowers; nearly 3 inches across on 1-foot-high plants.

**VARIOUS PHLOXES.**

**Amœna.** This is one of the best varieties for carpeting the ground, the rockery or the border; it grows but 4 inches high, and in spring is a sheet of rich, bright pink flowers. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

**Carolina.** A dwarf-growing species, rarely exceeding 12 inches in height, and producing during May and June masses of bright rosy-red flowers.

**Divaricata Canadensis.** One of our native species, which is worthy of extensive planting, commencing to bloom early in April, and continuing through May, with large, fragrant lavender flowers on stems 10 inches high.

**Paniculata.** This is the parent of all the showy varieties now in cultivation. It grows about 3 feet high, blooming in July and August, with brilliant rosy-purple flowers in good-sized trusses.

**PHLOX SUBULATA** (Moss, or Mountain Pink).

An early spring-flowering type, with pretty moss-like evergreen foliage, which, during the flowering season, is hidden under the masses of bloom. An excellent plant for the rockery, the border, and invaluable for carpeting the ground or covering graves. We offer six varieties.

**Alba.** Pure white.

**Atropurpurea.** Purplish-rose,

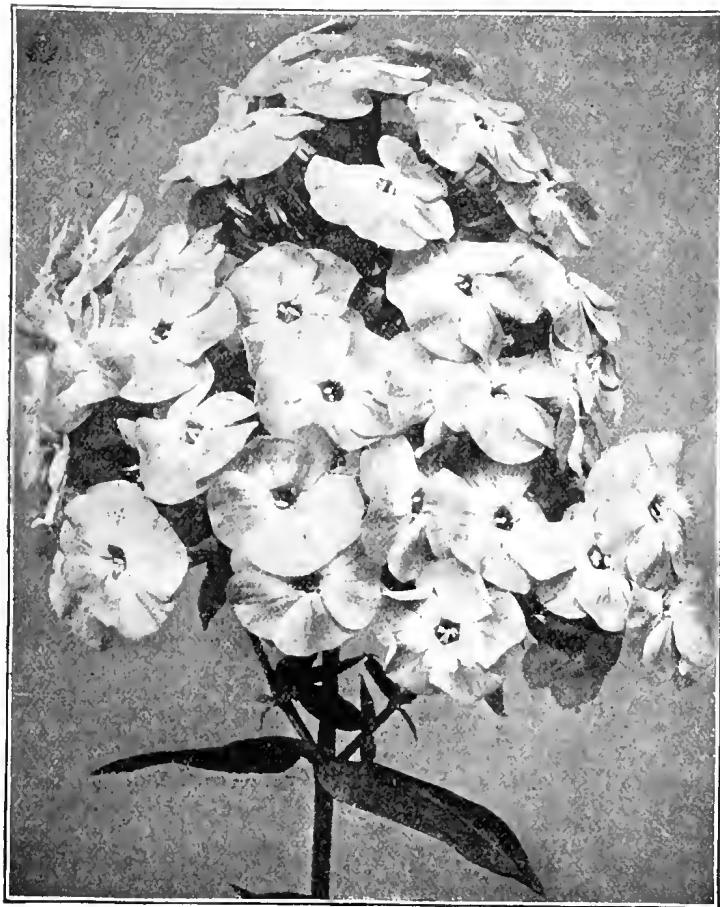
**Bridgemanii.** Purplish-tinted white.

10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100. Set of 6 for 50 cts.

**Lilacina.** Light lilac.

**Nelsoni.** Pure white.

**Rosea.** Bright rose.



NEW HARDY PHLOX, EDMOND ROSTAND.

## DREER'S

## Superb Hardy Phlox.

Among hardy perennial plants no class is of more importance than the Phloxes, succeeding in almost any position and flowering from early in summer until late in fall. They also improve from year to year, require little care and contain a range of color not found in any other hardy plant.

## New and Rare Varieties.

**Aglae Adamson.** Immense flowers, snow-white, with pure red eye.

**Alblon.** One of our own introductions; a strong, vigorous grower, producing very large panicles of pure white flowers with a faint analine red eye.

**Chateaubriand.** Pure white, with crimson-carmine eye, shading to bright violet-purple.

**Consul H. Trost.** Pure red with bright French purple eye.

**Edmond Rostand.** Reddish-violet, shading brighter to the centre of the petals, with an exceptionally large white star-shaped centre.

**F. G. von Lassburg.** The finest white in cultivation; the individual flowers are fully double the size of any other white; pure in color and a strong, clean, vigorous grower.

**Helena Vacaresco.** A free-flowering dwarf white, flowers of enormous size.

**Le Mahdli.** Deep reddish-violet, with bluish sheen, eye deeper.

**Louis Blanc.** Reddish-violet with purple shadings and darker eye. A distinct dark colored variety.

**Selma.** A pretty, delicate, soft, pale rose-mauve, with distinct claret-red eye.

25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100. Set of ten varieties, \$2.00.

## STANDARD VARIETIES.

**Aquillon.** Bright tyrian rose with rich crimson eye.

**B. Comte.** A brilliant, glowing reddish or French purple.

**Bridesmaid.** White with large crimson-carmine centre.

**Beranger.** Ground color white, delicately suffused with rosy-pink, amaranth-red eye.

**Bacchante.** Tyrian rose with crimson-carmine eye.

**Champs Elysee.** An effective shade of bright rosy magenta.

**Coquelicot.** Best pure scarlet with crimson-red eye.

**Cyclon.** White suffused with lilac, red star-shaped eye.

**Eclaireur.** Brilliant rosy magenta with large light halo. An excellent variety.

**Etna.** Crimson-red, suffused with fiery-red; cherry-red eye.

**Eugene Danzanylller.** Lilac, shading white toward the edges, large white centre; a pleasing color.

**Graf von Ungerer.** A large flower, white suffused with rosy-lilac, dark crimson eye.

**Jeanne d'Arc.** A fine late-flowering pure white.

**La Vague.** Pure mauve with analine-red eye; one of the best.

15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100. Set of 25 varieties for \$3.00.

EARLY-FLOWERING HARDY PHLOXES (*Phlox Suffruticosa*).

This type, while it does not contain the rich, bright colors which are a feature of the collection offered above, is invaluable on account of coming into bloom in May, or fully six weeks earlier than the other sorts, and continuing throughout the season.

**Dr. Hornby.** White, delicately suffused with light lilac.

**Indian Chieft.** Deep magenta with crimson eye.

**Lady Musgrove.** White, striped light magenta.

**Leaman.** Rosy lilac.

**Miss Lingard.** A grand free-flowering white.

**Ringleader.** Light magenta with crimson eye.

20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100. Set of six sorts for \$1.00.

The complete collection of the above 41 varieties of Phlox for \$5.75.

## POLYGONUM.

**Compactum.** A variety which is deserving of great popularity; it grows about 15 inches high, and during August and September the entire plant appears as a foamy mass of white flowers.

**Cuspidatum** (*Giant Knotweed*). A tall-growing species, attaining a height of 5 to 7 feet, and producing during August and September long, drooping clusters of white flowers at the axil of each leaf along the upper half of the stem; a striking plant for the shrubbery or as an isolated specimen.

## ICELAND POPPY.

(*Papaver nudicaule*.)

The plant is of neat habit, forming a tuft of bright green fern-like foliage, from which spring, throughout the entire season, a profusion of slender leafless stems one foot high, each graced with charming cup-shaped flowers. We offer them in white, yellow, orange scarlet, or in mixture.

## ORIENTAL POPPY.

(*Papaver Orientale*.)

For a gorgeous display of rich, brilliant coloring, nothing can equal the Oriental Poppies during their period of flowering in May or June, and whether planted singly or in masses, their large flowers and freedom of bloom render them conspicuous in any position.

**Goliath.** Fiery scarlet.

**Psyche.** Delicate rosy blush.

**Mahogany.** Crimson-maroon.

**Silver Queen.** White, tinted blush.

**Princess Louise.** Salmon-pink.

**Trilby.** Brilliant red.

25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz. Set of 6 varieties, \$1.25.

**Finest Mixed Varieties**, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

## PULMONARIA.

(Lungwort, Bethlehem Sage.)

**Saccharata Maculata.** A beautiful plant, rivaling in the markings of its foliage many of the choicest hothouse plants; of easy culture; foliage deep green, handsomely mottled with silver-grey and terminal 1 foot high spikes of pink, changing to blue flowers during May and June. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

## PYRETHRUM.

**Hybridum, Single Varieties.** In choicest mixture.

**Uliginosum** (*Giant Daisy*). Grows 4 to 5 feet high, and is covered with large white daisy-like flowers 3 inches in diameter; from July to September.



PRIMULA VERIS SUPERBA.



ORIENTAL POPPIES

## PRIMULAS (Primrose).

**Acaulis Alba plena.** Very showy and useful; double white.  
**— Cœrulea.** A most novel variety, with deep purplish-blue flowers of large size; early and prolific.

**Auricula.** The plants we offer of this old favorite have been grown from seed of one of the finest European collections. Mixed colors, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Veris** (*English Cowslip*). Plants grown from a select strain of seed, and embrace a fine range of colors. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

**Veris Superba.** A giant-flowered form of the English Cowslip, producing individual flowers from 1 to 2 inches across in heavy trusses, which measure from 10 to 15 inches in circumference; in color they are a bright canary-yellow with a golden centre; perfectly hardy, and when in flower present a complete sheet of bloom. (See cut.)

**Vulgaris** (*English Primrose*). An old favorite, and should be found in every garden; one of the earliest spring flowers; of bright canary-yellow; very fragrant.

## PRIMULA CORTUSOIDES

### SIEBOLDII.

(Japanese Primrose.)

These are not so well known as they deserve; they are of free growth, with dark green foliage, and throw up in late spring innumerable stems of large flowers, varying in color from pure white to rich crimson. They are also excellent for forcing.

**Atlas.** Dark carmine rose; white eye.

**Daphnis.** Rosy-red; white star-shaped centre.

**Malden's Blush.** Large light pink.

**Neillie Ware.** White suffused with rosy-purple.

**Queen of Whites.** Pure white.

**Sirius.** Rich crimson rose; white eye.

20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz. Set of 6 sorts for \$1.00.



RUDBECKIA GOLDEN GLOW.

**RHEXIA** (Meadow Beauty).

**Virginica.** A handsome dwarf plant, 9 inches, flowering the greater part of the summer, with numerous bright rosy-purple blossoms, and long, protruding golden anthers; a grand subject for massing in a moist, sunny spot.

**RUDBECKIA** (Cone-flower).

**Fulgida.** Brilliant orange-yellow flowers; produced in masses on much-branched plants, 2 feet high, from July to September.

**Golden Glow.** We question if any one hardy perennial plant has ever met with greater popularity than this. It is a strong, robust grower, attaining a height of 5 to 6 feet, and produces masses of double golden-yellow Cactus Dahlia-like flowers from July to September.

**Maxima.** A rare and attractive variety, growing 5 feet high, with large glaucous green leaves and bright yellow flowers 5 to 6 inches across, with a cone 2 inches high; flowers continuously from June to September. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Newmanii.** Dark orange-yellow flowers, with deep purple cone, borne on stiff, wiry stems, 3 feet high, admirably fitting it for cutting. Flowers from July to October.

**Nitida, or Autumn Glory.** Large pale-yellow flowers during August and September; 5 feet high.

**Purpurea** (Giant Purple Cone-flower). Flowers about 4 inches across, of a peculiar reddish purple, with a remarkably large, cone-shaped centre of brown, thickly set with golden tips in spiral lines; forms bushy plants from 2 to 3 feet high, and blooms from July to October.

**Sub-Tomentosa.** A pyramidal, densely-branched plant, 2½ feet high, which is completely enveloped throughout the summer in a mass of brilliant lemon-yellow flowers with dark purple centres.

**Triloba.** Forms a much-branched plant, 3 feet high, which is covered during August and September with medium-sized attractive yellow flowers, with brown disc.

**SOLIDAGO** (Golden Rod).

The varieties offered below are the most desirable of our popular native Golden Rods.

**Canadensis.** Grows 4 to 5 feet high, with spikes or golden-yellow flowers from the end of July until September.

**Rigida.** A bold plant, with large, heavy foliage and immense heads of rich yellow flowers in August and September.

10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

**SALVIA** (Meadow Sage).

**Azorea Grandiflora.** A Rocky Mountain species, growing 2 to 3 feet high, producing during August and September pretty sky-blue flowers in the greatest profusion.

**Pratensis.** Showy spikes, 2 to 3 feet high, of deep blue flowers, from June to September.

**SCABIOSA.**

**Caucasica** (Blue Bonnet). One of the handsomest perennials, and should be grown in every garden, if only for cutting purposes, lasting a long time when placed in water. The flowers are of a soft and charming shade of lavender, and commence to bloom in June, throwing stems 15 to 18 inches high until September.

**Japonica.** A variety from Japan, forming bushy plants 2½ to 3 feet in height, and bearing on long, wiry stems beautiful artistic lavender-blue flowers, 2 to 2½ inches across. The plants are extremely floriferous, producing a continuous crop from the end of June until late in autumn. 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.

**Ochroleuca.** Sulphur-yellow flowers; July to September; 2½ feet.

**SEDMUM** (Stone-Crop).**DWARF VARIETIES.**

Suitable for the rockery, carpet bedding, etc.

**Acre** (Golden Moss). Much used for covering graves; foliage green; flowers bright yellow.

**Album.** Green foliage, white flowers.

**Lydium Glaucum.** Small glaucous foliage and pink flowers.

**Sexangulare.** Dark green foliage, yellow flowers.

**Spurium.** Attractive pink flowers; 6 inches.

— **Coccineum.** A beautiful crimson-flowered form of the preceding. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

**ERECT, OR TALL-GROWING VARIETIES.**

Useful and pretty plants for the border, producing their interesting flowers during late summer and fall.

**Japonicum Macrophyllum.** Forms compact bushes 15 inches high, with pleasing waxy-white flowers, with light pink centres.

**Maximum Atropurpureum.** Interesting on account of its dark bronzy-purple foliage; 15 inches.

**Spectabile** (Brilliant Stone-crop). One of the prettiest erect-growing species, attaining a height of 18 inches, with broad light green foliage and immense heads of handsome showy rose-colored flowers; indispensable as a late fall-blooming plant.

— **Atropurpurea.** Like the type, this forms an erect, bushy plant about 18 inches high, with broad, oval, light green foliage, and producing in September and October gigantic, showy heads of deep rosy-crimson flowers. A decided acquisition for the hardy border. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



SCABIOSA CAUCASICA.

**SPIRÆA** (Goat's Beard, Meadow Sweet).

**Aruncus.** A noble variety, 3 to 5 feet high, producing in June and July long, feathery panicles of white flowers.

— **Kneiffii.** A new variety, 3 to 4 feet high, with foliage divided as fine as a fern, with great sprays of silvery-white flowers in June. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Chinensis.** A distinct and handsome species, with large heads of silvery-pink flowers in June and July; 2 feet. 25 cts. each; 2.50 per doz.

**Filipendula Pl. Pl.** (*Double-flowered Drop-wort*). Numerous corymbs of double white flowers, on stems 12 inches high, during June and July, and pretty, fern-like foliage.

**Gigantea, or Kamtschatka.** Forms a bold plant 5 to 6 feet high, with large palmate leaves and immense heads of white flowers from July to September. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Palmaria** (*Crimson Meadow Sweet*). One of the most beautiful hardy plants, the deep purple-red of the stems and branches passing into the crimson-purple of the broad corymbs of flowers, which are produced very freely during June and July; 3 feet.

— **Elegans.** A free-flowering, silvery-pink form.

**Venusta.** A showy, red-flowering species; very fragrant; 4 to 5 feet. June.

**Ulmaria Fl. Pl.** (*Meadow Sweet*). A double white form.

— **Folla aurea.** A variety with golden variegated foliage.

**STOKESIA** (The Cornflower, or Stokes' Aster).

**Cyanea.** A most charming and beautiful native hardy plant.

Grows from 18 to 24 inches high, bearing freely from early in July until October its handsome lavender-blue Cornflower-like blossoms, which measure from 4 to 5 inches across. It is of the easiest culture, succeeding in any open, sunny position, and not only is it desirable as a single plant in the hardy border, but it can also be used with fine effect in masses or beds of any size. (See cut.)

**Cyanea alba.** A new variety which we are sending out this year for the first time. Flowers identical to the now so popular blue variety, except in color, which is pure white. A decided novelty and a desirable addition to the list of hardy plants. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per dozen.



THALICTRUM.



STOKESIA CYANEA (Cornflower Aster).

**STATICE** (Sea Lavender).

Most valuable plants either for the border or rockery, with tufts of leathery foliage and immense candelabra-like panicles of minute flowers, producing a remarkable effect; grows from 15 to 18 inches high, and blooms from June until September.

**Eximia.** Bears immense heads of lovely lilac flowers.

**Imellin.** Large panicles of violet-blue flowers.

**Latifolia** (*Great Sea Lavender*). Immense heads, 2 to 3 feet across, of deep blue flowers, which last for months if cut and dried.

**Tartarica.** Bright, purplish-red flowers in graceful panicles.

**TANACETUM** (Tansy).

**Vulgar.** The common Tansy; golden-yellow flowers in mid-summer; 3 feet.

**THALICTRUM** (Meadow Rue).

Very graceful, pretty-flowered plants, with finely-cut foliage; great favorites for planting in the hardy border. (See cut.)

**Adiantifolium.** Finely-cut, Maidenhair fern-like foliage and yellow flowers; 15 to 18 inches.

**Aquilegiforme atropurpureum.** Elegant, graceful foliage and masses of rosy-purple flowers; 3 feet.

— **Album.** Pure white flowers.

— **Compactum.** A dwarf, compact-growing form, never exceeding 2 feet in height, and producing very large, dense heads of showy white flowers, which are borne in the greatest freedom during June and July. This is without question the best of the large-flowered forms. 50 cts. each.

— **Roseum.** A light rose-colored form.

**Cornutum.** Panicles of white flowers in June and July; 4 to 8 feet.

**Delavayi.** Entirely distinct from all others. The flowers, which are of a delicate lilac color, are disposed in a graceful, drooping or hanging manner, in broad, branching panicles; finely-divided glaucous-green foliage, which makes it a very attractive plant even when not in bloom. 50 cts. each.

**Glaucum.** Fine-cut foliage; bronzy-yellow flowers; in June; 2 feet.

**Minus.** Finely-cut foliage and pale yellow flowers; 1½ feet.

**THYMUS** (Thyme).

**Lanuginosus** (*Wooly-leaved Thyme*). A trailing variety, with greyish foliage.

**Serpillum** (*White Mountain Thyme*). A pretty subject for the rockery, forming dense mats of dark green foliage and clouds of white flowers.

— **Coccinea** (*Scarlet Thyme*). Dark green foliage and clouds of bright red flowers.

— **Splendens.** Bright purplish-red flowers.

**Clitrodora Aureum** (*Golden Thyme*). A pretty golden variegated variety, which is evergreen and showy at all seasons.



TROLLIUS (GLOBE FLOWER).

**TROLLIUS** (Globe Flower).

Popular hardy perennials, flowering freely from May until August; 2 to 2½ ft.

**Auranticus.** Lemon-yellow. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Europaeus.** A giant buttercup in appearance. Large, bright yellow, globular flowers, 2 inches in diameter. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Fortunei Fl. Pl.** Bright orange, of large size. 50 cts. each.

**Giganteus.** Large, globular yellow flowers. 35 cts. each.

**Japonicus "Excelsior."** Very deep orange flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Caucasicus "Orange Globe."** A new variety, with large, deep orange-colored flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

Set of 6 varieties for \$1.50.

**TRADESCANTIA** (Spider-wort).

**Virginica.** Produces a succession of purple flowers all summer.

— **Alba.** A white-flowered form.

**TUNICA.**

**Saxifraga.** A pretty tufted plant with light pink flowers; produced all summer; useful either for the rockery or the border. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.

**VALERIANA** (Spurred Flower).

**Coccinea** (*Valerianum*). An old-fashioned perennial, bearing numerous showy heads of reddish flowers from June to October; 2 feet.

— **Alba.** A white-flowered form.

**Officinalis** (*Hardy Garden Heliotrope*). Produces showy rose-pink heads of flowers during June and July, with strong heliotrope odor.

**VINCA** (Periwinkle or Trailing Myrtle).

**Minor.** An excellent dwarf evergreen trailing plant that is used extensively for carpeting the ground under shrubs and trees, or on graves where it is too shady for other plants to thrive. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

**HARDY VIOLETS.**

The varieties listed below, while not suited for forcing, are perfectly hardy, and are covered with flowers in early spring.

**Pedata** (*Bird's-foot Violet*). A native variety, with finely-cut foliage and showy blue flowers. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

— **Bicolor.** An elegant variety of the preceding, with the upper petals a rich royal purple; lower petals almost white. 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

**Double Russian.** Fine large double deep purple flowers of exquisite fragrance. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**VERONICA** (Speedwell).

**Amethystina.** Amethyst-blue flowers in July and August; 2 feet.

**Incana.** Bright silvery foliage with spikes of amethyst-blue flowers; July and August; 1 foot.

**Longifolia Subsessilis.** A pretty species with blue flowers, produced on spikes a foot long, continuing in bloom the entire summer and fall. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per dozen; \$15.00 per 100.

**Maritima.** Long spikes of blue flowers from July to September; 2 feet.

**Pectinata.** Fine for the rockery; masses of blue flowers in May.

**Prostrata.** Dwarf and spreading, only 4 inches high; deep blue flowers in May and June.

**Repens.** A trailing variety, covered during May with blue flowers.

**Rosea.** A most desirable variety, bearing bright rose flowers; 1½ feet.

**Rupestris.** A fine rock plant, growing 3 or 4 inches high, thickly-matted deep green foliage, hidden in spring under a cloud of bright blue flowers.

**Spicata.** An elegant border plant, growing about 1½ feet high producing long spikes of bright blue flowers.

— **Alba.** A white-flowered form of the above.

**Virginica.** Long spikes of white flowers in July and August; 3 to 5 feet.

**YUCCA** (Adam's Needle).

**Filamentosa.** Among hardy ornamental foliage and flowering plants this can be classed at the head of the list. Its broad, sword-like foliage and tall, branched spikes of large, fragrant, drooping, creamy-white flowers during June and July make it an effective plant for all positions. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.



VERONICA LONGIFOLIA SUBSESSILIS

## Hardy Roses for Fall Planting.

Strong two-year-old field-grown; ready for delivery as soon as the wood is thoroughly ripened, which is usually in early November.

**Alfred Colomb.** Cherry red, shaded crimson.  
**Anna de Diesbach.** Clear, bright carmine.  
**Baron de Bonstetten.** Deep, velvety maroon.  
**Beauty of Waltham.** Bright, rosy carmine.  
**Chlo.** Flesh color, centre rosy pink.  
**Coquette des Blanches.** A free-flowering white, tinted blush.  
**Eclair.** Bright, fiery red.  
**Frau Karl Druschki.** The ideal white, extra fine.  
**Gen. Jacqueminot.** The favorite crimson scarlet.  
**Girolre Lyonnaise.** White, tinted lemon; fine.  
**Jennie Dickson.** Rose pink, with silvery edges.  
**Louis Van Houtte.** Dark velvety crimson.

**Magna Charta.** Bright pink, suffused carmine.  
**Mrs. John Laing.** Soft pink, of beautiful form.  
**Mme. Gabrlel Luizet.** Delicate pink; very sweet.  
**Mrs. R. G. Sharman Crawford.** Deep rosy pink.  
**Merveille de Lyon.** Pure white; fine form.  
**Marchioness of Lorne.** Rich fulgent rose, shaded crimson.  
**Margaret Dickson.** White, suffused blush.  
**Paul Neyron.** Dark rose, very large.  
**Prince Camille de Rohan.** Deep velvety crimson maroon.  
**Rodocanachi.** Beautiful transparent rose.  
**Tom. Wood.** Cherry-red, shell-shaped petals.  
**Ulrich Brunner.** Bright cherry-red; fine.  
**White Baroness.** Pure white, of fine form.

Price, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz.; \$20.00 per 100. Set of 25 varieties, \$6.00.

## Hardy Climbing Rambler and Trailing Roses.

**Baltimore Belle.** Blush white, in clusters.  
**Climbing Clothilde Soupert.** White, with rosy centre.  
**Crimson Rambler.** The well-known climber.  
**Dorothy Perkins.** A charming pink Rambler.  
**Philadelphia Rambler.** A dark form of the Crimson Rambler.

**Prairie Queen.** Deep rose.  
**Sweet Brier.** The true Eglantine; fragrant foliage.  
**Trier.** A desirable Rambler. Blush changing to white.  
**White Rambler.** Small white, in clusters.  
**Wichuralana (Memorial Rose).** Single white.

Price, Strong, 2-year old plants, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz. Set of 10 sorts, \$2.50.

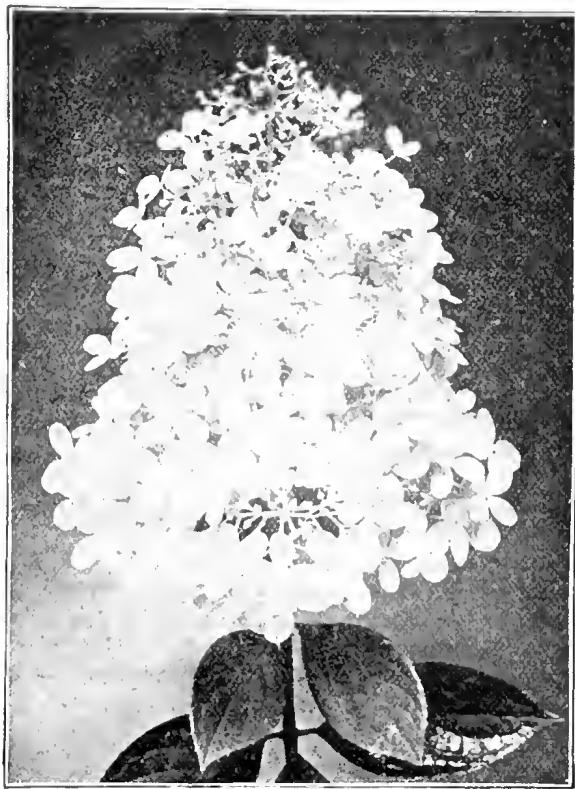
## Select List of Hardy Climbing Plants.

**Actinidia Arguta.** A desirable Japanese climber, dark-green shining foliage and white flowers. 35 cts. each; \$3.50 per doz.  
**Akebia Quinata.** A quick grower, with bunches of small violet-brown flowers. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Ampelopsis Quinquefolia (Virginia Creeper).** 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Tricolor.** Beautifully variegated leaves, green, pink and white. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Veltchii (Boston Ivy).** The best climber to cling to walls, trees, etc. Strong plants, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100. Extra strong plants, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.  
**Aplos Tuberosa.** A neat vine, like a miniature Wistaria. 5 cts. each; 50 ets. per doz.  
**Aristolochia Siphon (Dutchman's Pipe).** A strong grower, with large leaves and pipe-like flowers. 50 ets. each; \$5.00 per doz.  
**Bignonia Grandiflora (Trumpet Vine).** Large, orange-red flowers. 50 ets. each; \$5.00 per doz.  
**Radicans.** Dark red, very free-flowering. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Celastrus scandens (Bitter Sweet).** 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Cinnamon Vine.** 5 cts. each; 50 ets. per doz.  
**Clematis paniculata (Japanese Virgin's Bower).** One of the finest climbers; clouds of small, fragrant flowers in August. Strong plants, 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100. Extra strong plants, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.  
**Virginia (American Virgin's Bower).** A strong grower, with fine white flowers in August. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Montana Grandiflora.** A beautiful spring-flowering variety; pure white flowers, 2 inches across. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.  
**Montana Rubens.** The latest addition to our list of climbers. Identical to the white sort, except that the flowers are rosy-red. \$1.50 each.  
**Large-flowering sorts.** We can supply fine, strong roots of the following choice varieties:  
**Anderson Henry.** Creamy white, large.  
**Boskoop Seedling.** Extra large lavender.  
**Fairy Queen.** Pale flesh, with a pink bar.

**Clematis, Large-flowering—Continued.**  
**Duchess of Edinburgh.** Double pure white.  
**Gypsy Queen.** Rich purple.  
**Jackmani.** The popular rich purple variety.  
**Jackmani Superba.** A deeper flowered form of Jackmani.  
**Lilacina Floribunda.** Satiny blue.  
**M. Koster.** Bright rosy carmine; free-flowering.  
**Mme. Baron Veillard.** Light rose, with lilac shading.  
**Mme. Van Houtte.** Pure white; extra fine.  
**Miss Bateman.** White, with chocolate-red anthers.  
**Standish.** Lavender blue.  
**The Gem.** Deep lavender blue.  
**The President.** Bright purple, one of the best.  
**Ville de Lyon.** The nearest approach to a red yet introduced.  
Any of the Large-flowering Clematis, 40 cts. each; \$4.00 per doz.  
**Honeysuckle Chinese Evergreen (Woodbine).** Red, yellow and white.  
**Halliana.** White, turning yellow.  
**Heckrothi.** Deep red, with yellow throat.  
**Variegated.** Foliage mottled yellow and green.  
Any of the above, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.  
**Ivy, English.** Invaluable for covering walls; also for covering graves, if in the shade. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.  
**Conglomerata.** A fine sort for the rockery. 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.  
**Jasmine Nudiflorum.** Yellow. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Officinale.** Pure white. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Lathyrus Latifolius (Everlasting Pea).** Deep rosy red. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Latifolius albus.** Pure white. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Latifolius, White Pearl.** A magnificent large-flowering pure white. Extra fine in every way. 75 cts. each.  
**Moonflower (Ipomoea pandurata).** The hardy variety; a strong grower. Flowers white, with pinkish purple throat. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.  
**Polygonum Multiflorum.** A desirable climber, with bright green heart-shaped leaves and foamy-white flowers in September and October. 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.  
**Wistaria Sinensis.** Blue. 50 cts. each.  
**Sinensis Alba.** White. 50 cts. each.

# CHOICE HARDY SHRUBS.

All Hardy Shrubs (except where noted) at the uniform price of 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.



HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.

**Althea** (*Rose of Sharon*). Valuable on account of their late blooming, August to October. We offer the following eleven choice sorts:

- **Alba plena.** Double white, crimson centre.
- **Atropurpurea plena.** Double purple.
- **Boule de Feu.** Double red.
- **Corerulea plena.** Double blue.
- **Duchesse de Brabant.** Double dark red.
- **Folia Variegata.** Leaves variegated.
- **Grandiflora superba.** Double delicate blush with carmine centre.
- **Jeanne d'Arc.** Double white.
- **Meehani.** A new variegated-leaved sort with large purplish red flowers. 50 cts. each.
- **Totus Albus.** Fine single pure white.
- **Violacea.** Double rosy-lilac.

**Amorpha Fruticosa** (*False Indigo*). Spikes of indigo flowers; June.

**Andromeda Mariana** (*Lily of the Valley Shrub*). Waxy white, bell-shaped blossoms; June.

— **Japonica.** Racemes of white blossoms. \$1.00 each.

**Aralia Pentaphylla.** A pretty Japanese Shrub.

— **Spinosa** (*Hercules Club, Angelica Tree, or Devil's Walking-stick*). Panicles of white flowers in August. 50 cts. each.

**Azalea Altacrenensis.** Bright yellow flowers in very large trusses. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

— **Anthony Koster.** Intense golden orange-yellow flowers of exceptionally large size. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

— **Hinodegirt.** Small, but very bright, fiery-red flowers. \$1.00 each.

— **J. C. Van Tol.** This is the best of the red-flowering forms of A. Mollis. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

— **Yodogama.** Semi-double lavender-pink flowers. \$1.00 each.

— **Mollis.** Yellow, orange, carmine, etc.; May. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

— **Pontica, or Hardy Ghent.** A large range of colors. 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.

— **Amœna.** Rosy-crimson. Bushy plants, 12 to 15 inches high, 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz. 15 to 18 inches high, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz. 18 to 24 inches high, \$1.25 each; \$12.00 per doz.

**Baccharis Halimifolia** (*Groundsel Tree*).

**Berberis Thunbergii.** Small foliage, assuming the most varied and beautiful tints of coloring in the autumn.

— **Vulgaris purpurea** (*Purple Barberry*). Violet-colored foliage and fruit.

**Buddleia Variabilis.** Racemes of rosy-lilac flowers, with an orange spot in the centre.

**Calycanthus Floridus** (*Sweet or Strawberry Shrub*). Chocolate-colored strawberry-scented flowers.

**Caragana Arborescens** (*Pea Tree*). Pea-shaped flowers in May.

**Cercis Canadensis** (*Judas Tree, or Red Bud*). Branches are covered with a mass of small pink flowers early in the spring. 50 cts. each.

**Chionanthus Virginica** (*White Fringe*). Flowers resemble bunches of white silken fringe.

**Clethra alnifolia** (*White Alder, or Sweet Pepper Bush*). Spikes of fine white fragrant flowers; July and August.

**Cornus Florida** (*White-flowering Dogwood*). 50 cts. each.

— **Rubra** (*Red-flowering Dogwood*). \$1.00 each.

— **Sanguinea** (*Red-trigged Dogwood*).

— **Mascula** (*Cornelian Cherry*).

— **Sericæa**.

**Colutea Arborescens** (*Bladder Senna*). Yellow, pea-shaped blossoms; June.

**Cochorus, or Kerria Japonica** fl. pl. (*Globe Flower*)

Double-yellow flowers; June to October.

**Crataegus Oxyacantha** fl. pl. (*Double-flowering Hawthorn*). We offer both double red and white. 50 cts. each.

**Cytisus Laburnum** (*Golden Chain, or Golden Rain*). Racemes of yellow flowers in early summer.

**Daphne Cneorum** (*Garland Flower*). Bright pink, sweet-scented flowers in May. 50 cts. each.

**Desmodium Penduliflorum.** Sprays of bright rose flowers; Sept.

— **Japonicum.** An elegant white-flowering variety. 50 cts. each.

**Deutzia Candidissima plena.** Double white.

— **Crenata rosea plena.** Double white, tinged pink.

— **Gracilis.** Pure white flowers in early summer.

— **Campanulata.** A new white sort.

— **Rosea.** Suffused with delicate pink.

— **Lemolnei.** Cone-shaped heads of purest white.

— **Præde of Rochester.** Double pure white.

— **Scabra.** Large white, tinged pink.

**Eleagnus Longipes.** The orange-colored fruit is very attractive.

**Euonymus Europæus** (*Burning Bush*).

**Exochorda Grandiflora** (*Pearl Bush*). White flowers in early spring.

— **Alberti.** Similar to the above, but stronger.

**Forsythia Suspensa** (*Weeping Golden Bell*). Golden-yellow bells in early spring.

— **Viridissima.** Strong, erect habit; flowers yellow.

**Halesia Tetrapterata** (*Silver Bell, or Snowdrop Tree*).

**Hydrangea Arborescens Grandiflora Alba** (*Snowball Hydrangea*). A beautiful new hardy Shrub. 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz.

— **Paniculata.** This must not be confounded with the variety *grandiflora* offered below, the creamy-white flowers being more erect and showing to better advantage. Strong plants, 30 cts. each; \$3.00 per doz. Extra strong plants, 60 cts. each; \$6.00 per doz.

— **Paniculata Grandiflora.** The most popular Shrub in cultivation. Flowers, borne in dense pyramidal panicles, white when they first open, but gradually change to rose color. Fine bush plants, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz; \$18.00 per 100 Extra " " 50 " " 500 " " 30 00 " " Standard or tree-shaped plants, which will make beautiful specimens for the lawn or garden, 50 cts. each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Itea Virginica.** Pure white flowers during June.

**Kalmia Latifolia** (*Mountain Laurel, or Calico Bush*). Strong cultivated plants, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 per doz.; \$60.00 per 100.

**Lespedeza Bicolor** (*Bush Clover*). Pea-shaped pink and white blossoms.

**Ligustrum Ibota.** A Japanese Privet, with dark green foliage and racemes of fragrant white flowers.

**Lonicera** (*Bush Honeysuckles*).  
— **Ledebouri.** Red flowers in May.  
— **Morrowi.** White flowers; bright red fruit in the autumn.  
— **Tartarica** (*Tartarian Honeysuckle*). Pink flowers.  
— **Tartarica alba** (*White Tartarian Honeysuckle*). Creamy-white.  
— **Grandiflora rosea.** Bright red flowers, striped with white.  
**Philadelphus**, **Boule d'Argent** (*Silver Ball Mock Orange*). Double white flowers.  
— **Coronarius** (*Garland Mock Orange*).  
— **Coronarius fl. pl.** Double-flowering.  
— **Coronarius aurea** (*Golden-leaved Mock Orange*).  
— **Grandiflorus.** A large-flowered sort.  
— **Manteau d'Hermine.** Creamy-white double flowers.  
— **Purpurea maculata.** New; white with a rosy-crimson spot at base of each petal. 50 cts. each.  
— **Rosæflorus plenus.** Full, double white.  
**Potentilla Fruticosa** (*Shrubby Cinquefoil*). Golden-yellow flowers throughout the summer.  
**Prunus Japonica** fl. pl. (*Double-flowering Almond*). We can supply both white and pink. 35 cts. each.  
**Pyrus Japonicus** (*Japan Quince*). Dazzling scarlet.  
**Rhodotypos Kerrioldes** (*White Kerria*).  
**Rhus Cotinus** (*Purple Fringe, or Smoke Tree*).  
**Sassafras adiantifolia** (*Maiden-hair Tree, or Ginkgo*). Beautiful fern-like foliage.  
**Spiraea Anthony Waterer.** Bright crimson.  
— **Billardii.** Pink-flowered.  
— **alba.** A white-flowered form.  
— **Callosa alba.** White flowers.  
— **Douglassi.** Rose-colored flowers.  
— **Lindleyana.** Large panicles of white in July.  
— **Margaritæ.** Soft pink flowers.  
— **Opulifolia aurea** (*Virginian Guelder Rose*). Golden-tinted foliage and large white flowers.  
— **Prunifolia fl. pl.** (*Bridal Wreath*). Double white.  
— **Reevesii fl. pl.** Double white.  
— **Thunbergii.** White flowers in spring.  
— **Van Houttei.** A fountain of white bloom.  
**Staphyrea Coichlca** (*Bladder-nut*). Flowers white and fragrant. 35 cts. each.  
**Symporicarpus Racemosus fructo alba** (*Snowberry*).  
— **Vulgaris** (*Red-fruited or Indian Currant*).  
**Lilac Charles X.** Reddish-purple. 50 cts. each.  
— **Common** (*Syringa vulgaris*). The common purple Lilac.  
— **Common White** (*S. vulgaris alba*). Flowers pure white.  
— **Emodi.** Flowers whitish and produce in loose heads in June.  
— **Josikæa** (*Hungarian Lilac*). Flowers purple.  
— **Leon Simon.** Double blush-crimson. 50 cts. each.  
— **Mme. Casimir Perier.** The finest double white Lilac. 50 cts. each.  
— **Marie Le Gray.** Creamy white. 50 cts. each.  
— **Michael Buchner.** Double lilac. 50 cts. each.  
— **Persian.** Of more slender growth than the common Lilac; purple flowers.  
— **Persica Alba.** The white-flowering Persian Lilac.  
— **Virginite.** Double soft rose. 50 cts. each.

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PHILADELPHUS CORONARIUS.

**Tamarix Africana** (*Tamarisk*). Feathery foliage and small, delicate pink flowers.

— **Hispida Æstivallis** (*New*). Feathery, soft pink sprays in July and August. 35 cts. each; \$3.50. per doz.

— **Indica** (*East Indian Tamarisk*).  
**Vitex Agnus Castus** (*Chaste Tree*). Lilac-colored flowers.

**Viburnum Opulus** (*High Bush Cranberry*). White flowers, followed in autumn by scarlet berries.

— **Opulus Sterilis** (*Snowball, or Guelder Rose*). The popular white Snowball.

— **Tomentosum.** Pure white, flat flowers, borne along the branches. 50 cts. each.

— **Plicatum** (*Japan Snowball*). A decided improvement on the old Snowball. 50 cts. each.

**Weigelia Amabilis.** A beautiful pink.  
— **Coccinea.** Rosy crimson.  
— **Candida.** Fine pure white.  
— **Rosea.** Soft rosy-carmine.  
— **Rosea Nana Variegata.** One of the finest variegated-leaved Shrubs.  
— **Eva Rathke.** Rich ruby-carmine.  
**Xanthoceras Sorbifolia.** Racemes of pure white flowers with copper-colored streak at base of petals.  
**Xanthorrhiza Aprifolia.** Handsome foliage, which turns to a bright yellow in autumn.

## HEDGE PLANTS.

### ALTHEA (Rose of Sharon).

Strong, bushy plants, 30 to 36 inches high, in choice variety. \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

### BERBERIS THUNBERGII.

Strong 3-year-old plants, 18 to 24 inches high. \$2.00 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

### OSAGE ORANGE.

Strong 2-year-old plants. \$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1000.

### CALIFORNIA PRIVET.

	Per 100.	Per 1000.
Strong 1-year-old, 18 to 24 inches high . . . . .	\$3.00	\$25.00
“ 2 “ “ 24 to 30 “ “ . . . . .	4.00	35.00
“ 2 “ “ 30 to 36 “ “ . . . . .	5.00	45.00
Selected 2 “ “ 36 to 42 “ “ . . . . .	8.00	70.00

### ROSA RUGOSA (Ramasas Rose).

We can furnish these either in the red or white-flowering strong 2-year-old plants. \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.

# SELECT SMALL FRUITS.

For Fall Planting. Ready Oct. 20th.

Fall is a good time to plant hardy Grapes, Blackberries, Raspberries, Currants, etc.; the plants being at that time dormant are less liable to injury in transplanting than when planted in spring. After planting, cover the roots with 2 or 3 inches of litter or manure. While the list offered on this and the next page is short, yet it is very select, only the very finest sorts being offered. We think this is better than offering a long list, many of which would be of doubtful value. *We do not handle fruit trees, such as apples, pears, cherries, etc.*

## BLACKBERRIES.

Blackberries respond generously to good treatment. They prefer a deep soil, inclining to sand, but will grow and fruit almost anywhere. The varieties offered are the best and most popular sorts.

**Iceburg.** A novel variety, bearing white berries. 60 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

**Rathbun.** A very fine jet black variety of fine quality; very hardy and prolific. (See cut.)

**Wilson Junior, Erle, Early Harvest, Kittatinny, Snyder.**

**Price** of any of the above (except where noted), 50 cts. per doz.; \$2.50 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

*If wanted by mail, add 10 cts. per doz. for postage.*

## CURRANTS.

Currants do well in partial shade, but require rich soil and good culture. The following are the very best sorts, and are supplied in strong 2-year-old plants:

**Cherry.** Deep red.

**Fay's Prolific.** Color rich red; the leading variety for home use.

**Lee's Black Prolific.** The favorite sort for preserving.

**Perfection.** A new red variety which promises to eclipse all other sorts, combining size, color, high quality and productiveness in a superlative degree; has been awarded two gold medals. 25 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**White Grape.** Best white variety.

**Wilder.** A new red variety; fruit large, of fine flavor and a great yielder.

**Price:** Any of the above (except where noted) 10 cts. each; 75 cts. per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

*If wanted by mail, add 15 cts. per doz. for postage.*

## FOREIGN GRAPE VINES.

Owing to the scarcity of these in American-grown stock, we have made arrangements with one of the leading English growers for a supply. While the prices at first glance may appear high, the strength, size and quality of this stock is so much superior that comparison cannot be made with the light canes usually sent out. We offer but 12 varieties, but will be pleased to furnish a list of other sorts that can be supplied. Orders booked previous to November 25th can be executed any time after January 1st. Orders received after that date will be filled about March 15th.

### Black Varieties.

**Alnwick Seedling.** An excellent late variety.

**Black Alicante.** Bunches medium, berries very large.

**Black Hamburg.** The most useful and popular grape.

**Gros Colman.** A very handsome late grape.

**Lady Downe's Seedling.** One of the best late grapes.

**Black Muscat, or Muscat Hamburg.** An excellent and richly-flavored grape.

**Madresfield Court.** Berries very large; of rich flavor.

### White Varieties.

**Buckland Sweetwater.** A large, handsome berry and bunch; a good bearer and excellent.

**Duke of Buccleuch.** A large-berried, fine, early variety.

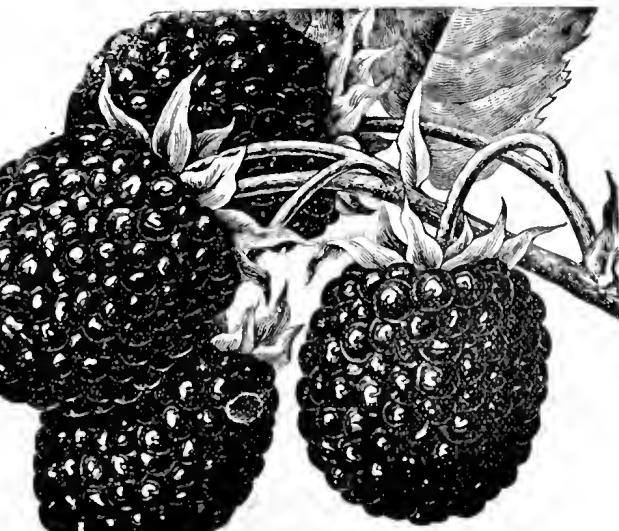
**Foster's Seedling.** A fine grape; sweet flavor.

**Frontignan White.** Fine white grape, abundant bearer.

**Muscat of Alexandria.** Flesh firm and rich, berries large; a superb variety; requires heat to ripen.

**Price:** Strong planting canes, \$2.50 each; \$30.00 per doz.  
Strong fruiting canes, \$3.50 each; \$40.00 per doz.

*For Hardy Grape Vines see next page.*



RATHBUN BLACKBERRY.

## SELECT HARDY GRAPES.

**Agawam** (*Rodger's No. 15*). Large, dark red; sweet.  
**Brighton**. Resembles Catawba, with richness of the Delaware.  
**Campbell's Early**. An improved Concord; very early.  
**Catawba**. Red, sweet and rich, with pleasant musky flavor.  
**Concord**. The most popular black grape; succeeds everywhere.  
**Delaware**. Light red, sweet, sprightly; fine flavor.  
**Lindley** (*Rodger's No. 9*). Large, black; good quality.  
**Moore's Diamond**. Delicate greenish-white with rich yellow tinge. Prolific, early and hardy; of fine quality.  
**Moore's Early**. Large, black; good quality.  
**Niagara**. Berries large, light greenish-white, slightly ambered.  
**Pocklington**. Bunch and berry large, golden yellow.  
**Worden**. Black, hardy, healthy; of fine quality.  
**Price**: Strong selected two-year-old vines, 25 cts. each; \$2.50 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

## RASPBERRIES.

Raspberries will succeed in any soil that can grow good corn, but respond quickly to liberal treatment; for best results the old wood should be cut out just as soon as the crop has been gathered; this will give more vigor to the young canes for next year's bearing.  
**Columbian**. Large, dark red, strong, robust and productive.  
**Cumberland**. A new black cap of exceptionally large size; of extra fine quality.  
**Cuthbert**. Large, deep, rich crimson.  
**Golden Queen**. Large, golden yellow.  
**Gregg**. Large black.  
**Kansas**. One of the new black caps. Has produced fruit that measured 15-16 of an inch in diameter.  
**Marlboro**. Bright crimson.  
**Ruby**. An extra large red, of fine flavor and very early.  
**Souhegan, or Tyler**. Jet black, of medium size.

**Price**: Any of the above, 50 cts. per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000.

If wanted by mail, add 10 cts. per doz. for postage.

## POT-GROWN AND LAYER STRAWBERRY PLANTS.

Pot grown plants set out early this Autumn will produce a good crop of berries next June.

	Potgrown Plants.	Layer Plants.
	Doz. 100.	Doz. 100.
<b>Auto.</b> Midseason, perfect.....	60 \$4.00	25 \$1.50
<b>Brandywine.</b> Late, perfect.....	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Bubach.</b> Midseason, pistillate .....	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Chesapeake.</b> Very late, perfect....	75 6.00	35 2.00
<b>Climax.</b> Early, perfect.....	60 4.00	25 1.50
<b>Clyde.</b> Early to midsummer, perfect.	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Commonwealth.</b> Late, perfect....	60 4.00	25 1.50
<b>Excelsior.</b> Extra early, perfect....	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Fairfield.</b> Extra early, perfect.....	60 4.00	25 1.50
<b>Gandy's Prize.</b> Late, perfect....	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Glen Mary.</b> Midseason to late, perfect	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Marshall.</b> Early, perfect.....	60 4.00	25 1.00

	Potgrown Plants.	Layer Plants.
	Doz. 100.	Doz. 100.
<b>Michel's Early.</b> Early, perfect....	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Midnight.</b> Late, perfect .....	60 4.00	25 1.50
<b>New Home.</b> Late, perfect .....	60 4.00	25 1.50
<b>New York.</b> Midseason, perfect....	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Nick Ohmer.</b> Midseason, perfect ..	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>President.</b> Late, pistillate .....	60 4.00	25 1.50
<b>Rough Rider.</b> Very late, perfect ..	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Sample.</b> Midseason to late, pistillate.	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>Sharpless.</b> Midseason, perfect.....	60 4.00	25 1.00
<b>The Cardinal.</b> Late, pistillate ..	1.00 7.00	40 2.50
<b>The Virginia.</b> Extra early, perfect..	60 4.00	25 1.50
<b>Wm. Belt.</b> Midseason, perfect.....	60 4.00	25 1.00

## VEGETABLE PLANTS AND ROOTS.

**Asparagus.** We grow roots of these in immense quantities, and can furnish the following varieties in two-year-old roots about the end of October in extra fine condition. Full details of culture are given in a circular which we send on application.

**Argenteuil (Violet).** The popular Parisian variety... \$1.00 per 100; \$7.50 per 1000

**Dreer's Eclipse.** A large and very fine variety..... 75 " 6.00 "

**Conover's Colossal** .....

**Columbian Mammoth White**..... 75 " 5.00 "

**Palmetto**..... 75 " 5.00 "

**Barr's Mammoth** .....

**Horseradish Sets**..... 15 cts. per doz.; 50 "

**Rhubarb Roots.** Victoria. Strong roots, 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.;

\$6.00 per 100.

**Sage (Holt's Mammoth).** A large-leaved variety; never runs to seed. 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Lavender Plants.** 15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Tarragon (Estragon).** For flavoring. 20 cts. each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Mint Roots.** 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

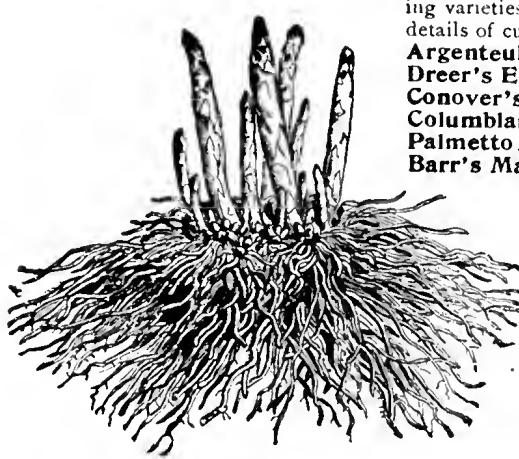
**Chives.** For flavoring. 10 cts. per clump; \$1.00 per doz.

**Hop Vine Roots.** 5 cts. each; 50 cts. per doz.; \$4.00 per 100

**Tansy.** 10 cts. each; \$1.00 per doz.



HARDY GRAPE.



ASPARAGUS ROOT.

# Dreer's Reliable Flower Seeds.

On the following pages we give a most complete list of Seeds of the **Best Hardy Perennials** which are now so deservedly popular. Sown this autumn in a protected corner of the garden or in a cold frame, you can have, with but little trouble, an abundant supply for flowering in 1908. This list also includes a choice selection of other Flower Seeds for autumn sowing, such as *Cinerarias*, *Cyclamens*, *Pansies*, *Primulas*, etc.

For complete list of Flower Seeds see pages 47 to 102 of our Garden Book for 1907.



ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon).

	PER PKT.
<b>Acanthus Latifolius</b> ( <i>Bear's Breech</i> ). Handsome and interesting hardy plants, with fine foliage and curious flowers in August and September.....	10
<b>Achillea Ptarmica Fl. Pl. "The Pearl"</b> ( <i>Double White Yarrow</i> ). One of the best hardy white perennials in the list. Grows about 2 feet high, and from spring till frost is covered with heads of purest white double flowers.....	15
<b>Aconitum Napellus</b> ( <i>Monkshood, or Wolfsbane</i> ). A hardy perennial, producing long spikes of curiously-shaped blue and white flowers; likes shade; 3 to 5 feet .....	5
<b>Adonis Vernalis</b> ( <i>Ox-eye</i> ). A hardy perennial, bright yellow flowers in spring; 1 foot.....	10
<b>Agrostemma. Coronaria</b> ( <i>Mullein Pink</i> ). An attractive free-flowering hardy perennial of easy culture, producing bright crimson flowers; foliage silvery-gray .....	5
<b>Alyssum Saxatile Compactum</b> ( <i>Basket of Gold</i> ). Showy hardy perennial, golden-yellow flowers; excellent for rock-work or border; 1 foot.....	5
<b>Saxatile luteum</b> . A new pale yellow sort.....	5
<b>Anemone Coronaria, Mixed Colors</b> ( <i>Poppy Anemone Windflower</i> ).....	5
<b>St. Brigid.</b> A beautiful selection, comprising semi-double and double flowers.....	15
<b>Anthemis Kelwayi</b> ( <i>Hardy Marguerite</i> ). A most satisfactory hardy perennial, bearing all summer daisy-like golden-yellow blossoms; 2 feet.....	10
<b>Antirrhinum</b> ( <i>Snapdragon</i> ). The Snapdragons are undoubtedly one of the best cut flowers, and are now largely grown for spring flowers.	10
<b>Giant.</b> White, Scarlet, Garnet, Yellow, Pink, Striped and Mixed, each.....	10
<b>Queen of the North.</b> Large white flowers.....	10
<b>Half-Dwarf Mixed.</b> Large variety of colors. Oz., 50c.	5
<b>Tall Mixed.</b> Extra fine selection. Oz., 40c .....	5
<b>Aquilegia California Hybrida</b> ( <i>Columbine</i> ). A splendid type, producing exquisite flowers, mostly in yellow and orange shades, all with long spurs.....	10
<b>Canadensis.</b> Scarlet and yellow; one of the brightest.	5
<b>Chrysanthia</b> ( <i>Golden Spurred</i> ). Bright golden-yellow; 3 feet.....	5
— <b>alba</b> ( <i>White Spurred</i> ). A beautiful pure white....	10
<b>Cerulea</b> ( <i>Rocky Mountain Columbine</i> .) Blue and white.....	10
<b>Cerulea hybrida.</b> Beautiful hybrids, with long spurred flowers in a great variety of colors.....	10

	PER PKT.
<b>Aquilegia Flabellata nana alba.</b> A fine dwarf white	10
<b>Glandulosa.</b> Light blue and pure white, .....	15
<b>Haylodensis delicatissima.</b> A new pink variety of the Rocky Mountain Columbine.....	20
<b>Helena.</b> This new hybrid is of strong growth, bearing numerous flowers of a lovely shade of blue and pure white.....	25
<b>Nivea Grandiflora.</b> A large, free-flowering pure white.....	5
<b>Single.</b> All colors mixed; 2 feet. Per oz., 30cts...	5
<b>Double.</b> All colors mixed. Per oz., 30 cts.....	5
<b>Arabis Alpina</b> ( <i>Rock Cress</i> ). Unequalled for rockeries or edgings; withstands the drought and is always neat. The spreading tufts are covered with pure white flowers in early spring .....	5
<b>Armeria</b> ( <i>Sea Pink, Cushion Pink, or Thrift</i> ).	
<b>Formosa.</b> A very pretty edging plant, bearing large tufts of rosy-pink flowers; hardy perennial. ....	10
<b>Asparagus Plumbosus Nanus.</b> Foliage finer than that of the most delicate fern; an excellent house plant...	25
<b>Sprengeri</b> ( <i>Emerald Feather</i> ). One of the best plants to grow in suspended baskets for greenhouse..	10
<b>Asperula Odorata</b> ( <i>Sweet Woodruff</i> ). An old-fashioned favorite, grown for its fragrant leaves and stems; best grown in semi-shade; flowers white.....	5
<b>Aster Perennial Mixed</b> ( <i>Starworts, or Michaelmas Daisies</i> ). Hardy herbaceous plants, thriving in any good garden soil.....	10
<b>Astilbe Davidii.</b> A new and handsome hardy perennial, with long spikes of deep rose-violet flowers. 6 feet.....	50
<b>Auricula</b> ( <i>Primula auricula</i> ). Charming half hardy perennial, growing 6 inches high and bearing flowers of great beauty in a wonderful array of colors.....	10
<b>Baptisia Australis</b> ( <i>False Indigo</i> ). A beautiful hardy perennial herbaceous plant, producing pea-shaped flowers on spikes 6 inches long. Bright blue; 2½ feet.....	5
<b>Bocconia Japonica</b> ( <i>Plume Poppy, or Tree Celadine</i> ). Effective, hardy perennial, for single specimens or groups on lawns; foliage glaucous green; bears freely spikes 2 to 3 feet long of cream-colored flowers; 5 feet .....	5
<b>Boltonia</b> ( <i>Pulse Chamomile</i> ). One of the showiest of our native hardy perennials, growing 4 to 6 feet high, with daisy-like flowers in countless thousands from July to September; very effective.	
<b>Asteroides</b> White.....	10
<b>Latisquama.</b> Pink, tinged with lilac.....	10



AQUILEGIA (Columbine).

	PER PKT.
<b>Buddleya Variabilis.</b> A fine hardy, shrubby plant, with racemes of rosy-lilac blossoms.....	10
<b>Calceolaria Hybrida Grandiflora, Mixed.</b> Beautiful, rich, self-colored flowers.....	25
— <b>Tigrlna.</b> Tigered and spotted flowers.....	25
— <b>Pumila Compacta.</b> Of dwarf, compact growth	25
<b>Callirhoe Involuta</b> ( <i>Poppy Mallow</i> ). A showy, trailing, hardy perennial, bearing continuously large, bright crimson saucer-shaped flowers.....	5
<b>Campanula Carpatica</b> ( <i>Carpathian Harebell</i> ). Free-flowering, blue and white mixed, continuing in bloom the whole season; hardy perennial; 6 inches.....	5
<b>Latifolia macrantha.</b> One of the handsomest of the Bellflowers, bearing in May and June large purplish-blue flowers; 3 feet.....	15
<b>Persicifolia Grandiflora</b> ( <i>Peach Bells</i> ). Undoubtedly one of the finest of the hardy Bellflowers; grows 2 to 3 feet high, with large blue or white flowers; mixed colors.....	10
— <b>Gigantea Mörhelmi.</b> A double pure white variety of the Peach Bells; very choice.....	20
<b>Pyramidalis</b> ( <i>The Chimney Bellflower</i> ). A beautiful, stately plant; for garden or pot culture; mixed blue and white flowers.....	5
<b>Rapunculoides.</b> Of graceful habit; 3 feet high, and bearing in June showy blue, bell-shaped blossoms.....	10
<b>Trachelium</b> ( <i>Coventry Bells</i> ). A sturdy variety, 2 to 3 feet high, with large blue flowers in July and August.....	5
<b>Canterbury Bells</b> ( <i>Campanula Medium</i> ). <b>Calycanthema</b> ( <i>Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells</i> ). This is unquestionably the finest type of this old-fashioned and much prized garden plant. The increasing demand has induced us to offer it in separate colors as well as in mixture, viz.:	
— <b>Rose.</b> Delicate rose pink.....	10
— <b>Blue.</b> A fine, clear shade.....	10
— <b>Striped.</b> White striped blue.....	10
— <b>White.</b> Pure white.....	10
— <b>Mixed.</b> All colors of the Cup and Saucer type A packet each of the 4 colors of Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells.....	10
<b>Single, Mixed.</b> All the single Medium varieties. Beautiful, large, bell-shaped flowers.....	5
<b>Double, Mixed.</b> All the double Medium varieties.....	5
<b>Imperials.</b> A new type, of fine pyramidal habit, and bearing very large flowers in many new colors; the finest for pot culture.....	20
<b>Candytuft Gibraltarica Hybrida</b> ( <i>Iberis</i> ). White, shading to lilac.....	10
<b>Sempervirens.</b> A profuse white blooming hardy perennial, coming in flower early in the spring; much used for rockeries, etc.....	10

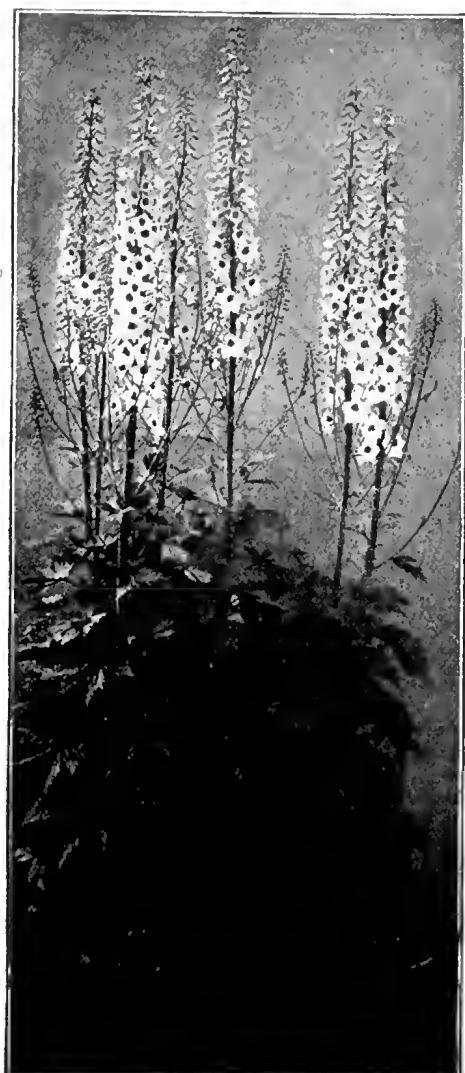


COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA GLANDIFLORA.

	PER PKT.
<b>Carnation, Fine Double Mixed.</b> The best for garden culture.....	10
<b>Finest Double Mixed.</b> Saved from extra fine flowers Chabaud's Everblooming. Blooms in five months after being sown, and continues to flower in the greatest profusion indefinitely; mixed colors.....	25
<b>Marguerite.</b> A quick-flowering type, fine double flowers; mixed colors.....	5
<b>Giant Marguerite.</b> An improved form of the above	10
<b>Cassia Marilandica</b> ( <i>American Senna</i> ). A desirable hardy perennial, large panicles of pea-shaped yellow blossoms in July and August.....	10
<b>Ceratium Tomentosum</b> ( <i>Snow in Summer</i> ). A very pretty hardy dwarf, white-leaved edging plant; small white flowers.....	15
<b>Chrysanthemum Maximum "Triumph"</b> ( <i>Moon-penny Daisy</i> ). Blossoms of the purest white, with yellow centres, and borne on long, strong stems, lasting a long time when cut; perfectly hardy.....	10
— <b>King Edward VII.</b> The finest Moonpenny Daisy yet introduced.....	15
— <b>Robinsoni.</b> Fine thread-like petals, distinct.....	15
— <b>"Shasta Daisy."</b> Flowers very large and perfect. Our stock of this comes direct from the originator, Mr. Luther Burbank, the famous California hybridizer.....	20
<b>Cineraria.</b> Our strains are justly celebrated for all good qualities, our Prize Dwarf and Tall being especially noted for size, coloring and texture.	
— <b>Dreer's Prize Dwarf.</b> .....	35
— <b>Dreer's Choice Dwarf.</b> .....	25
— <b>Dreer's Prize Tall.</b> .....	35
— <b>Dreer's Choice Tall.</b> .....	25
<b>Stellata</b> ( <i>Star Cineraria</i> ). A charming variety, with large spreading panicles of starry flowers in the same variety of colors as the ordinary Cineraria; the extreme grace and elegance of the plant and flowers make them wonderfully effective for the decoration of the house or conservatory, and especially so for church decoration; also useful for cutting.....	25
<b>Coreopsis Lanceolata Grandiflora.</b> This is one of the finest of hardy plants, with large, showy, bright yellow flowers, produced in the greatest abundance from June till frost. A fine cut flower, having long stems and lasting in good condition a week or more. Per oz., 75 cts. ....	10
— <b>Golden Fleece.</b> A new, almost double-flowering sort of this popular hardy perennial. ....	25
<b>Cowslip</b> ( <i>Primula Veris</i> ). A beautiful hardy spring-flowering perennial; flowers of different colors, such as yellow, brown, edged yellow, etc. ....	10



CUP AND SAUCER CANTERBURY BELLS.



DELPHINIUM (Hardy Larkspur).

	PFR PKT.
<b>Delphinium Chinense Album.</b> The white-flowered form of the preceding	5
<b>Cashmerianum.</b> A beautiful dark blue, blossoms in corymbs of 6 or	
more; 15 inches .....	15
<b>Zalii.</b> A lovely shade of sulphur-yellow.....	10
<b>Grandiflorum Fl. Pl.</b> Finest double, mixed in great variety of	
charming colors.....	15
<b>Hybridum Fine Mixed.</b> Single varieties. Oz., 40 cts.....	5
<b>Dianthus Plumarius</b> ( <i>Pheasant-eye Pink</i> ). Beautiful single, fringe-	
edged flowers.....	5
<b>Plumarius Fl. Pl.</b> ( <i>Double Hardy Garden Pinks</i> ). Double and	
semi-double varieties in beautiful colors.....	10
<b>Double Dwarf Erfurt.</b> The chief characteristics of this new strain	
are their compact growth and their early flowering. They possess	
the spicy clove fragrance of the old-fashioned pink, and have a much	
richer variety of coloring.....	15
<b>Semiperiorens</b> ( <i>Everblooming Hardy Garden Pinks</i> ). Very beau-	
tiful, sweet-scented, double, semi-double and single flowers in great di-	
versity of color.....	25
<b>Latifolius Fl. Pl.</b> This seems to be a hybrid between the China Pink	
and Sweet William, retaining most of the characteristics of the latter;	
the flowers are quite double, borne in large heads; mixed colors.....	10
<b>Digitalis</b> ( <i>Foxglove</i> ). Handsome and highly ornamental hardy perennial	
plants of stately growth, succeeding under almost all conditions, and	
with but little attention will give a wealth of flowers during June and	
July. They are now used extensively, with good effect, for naturalizing	
in shrubberies, the edge of woods and other half-shady places; 3 to 5 ft.	
<b>Gloxiniæflora.</b> This is a fine strain of the ordinary Foxglove ( <i>D.</i>	
<i>purpurea</i> ), with handsome Gloxinia-like flowers on long spikes.	
We offer the following colors, also mixed:	
<b>White</b> ..... 10   <b>Rose</b> ..... 10   <b>Purple</b> ..... 10   <b>Lilac</b> ..... 10	10
A packet each of the four colors, 30 cts.	
<b>Gloxiniæflora Finest Mixed.</b> Contains all colors.....	5
<b>Grandiflora.</b> Light yellow.....	5
<b>Maculata Superba.</b> An extra choice strain of beautifully spotted sorts.	
<b>Monstrosa</b> ( <i>Mammoth Foxglove</i> ). Long spikes, surmounted by one	
enormous flower; very	
odd; all colors mixed..... 10	10
<b>Echinops Ruthenicus</b> ( <i>Globe Thistle</i> ). A striking, hardy, perennial	
plant, with globular heads of steel-blue flowers in	
July and August; excellent for the back of the	
hardy border; 4 feet; fine for cutting.....	10
<b>Sphærocephalus.</b> Pale	
blue globular flowers..... 10	10



DIGITALIS (Foxglove).

**Cyclamen Persicum.** Choicest mixed; easier to grow than the Giants....

PFR PKT.

**Giant Pure White**..... 25 | **White**, with carmine eye..... 15

— **Dark Blood-red**..... 25 | — **Salmon**. A new color..... 25

— **Delicate rose**, with deep crimson eye..... 25

— **Finest Mixed.** Saved from a superb collection. Per 100 seeds, \$1.00

**Butterfly.** In this new type the edges of the flowers are beautifully fringed or waved, giving them a grace not possessed by the old class; mixed colors

**Double-flowering.** A really double-flowering Cyclamen, coming quite true from seed; the flowers are produced with the same freedom and in the same beautiful colors as in the single-flowering sorts .....

**Delphinium** (*Hardy Perennial Larkspur*). One of our most showy and useful hardy perennial plants, possessing almost every requisite for the adornment of the garden, producing splendid spikes of flowers in profusion throughout the summer.

**Gold Medal Hybrids.** This, we believe, is the finest strain of Delphinium in existence. The original stock came from England. It has been grown for several years in this country, and has been awarded highest honors wherever exhibited. The plants are of strong, vigorous habit, with immense spikes from 2 to 3 feet long of large flowers, mostly in fine shades of light blue. 5 pkts., \$1.00.....

**Formosum.** Beautiful spikes of rich blue flowers, with a white centre; 2½ feet .....

25

— **Celestium.** An exquisite celestial-blue variety of the above.....

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**Elatum** (*Bee Larkspur*). Rich blue of various shades, with black centres; grows 3 to 5 feet high, according to soil and location.....

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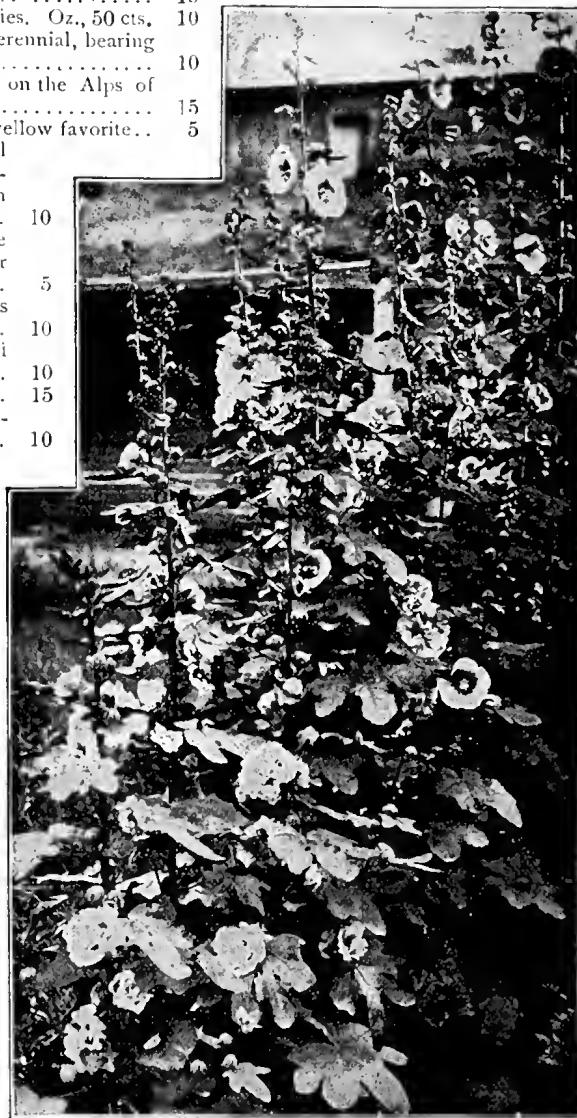
— **Celestium.** Sky-blue with dark centre.....

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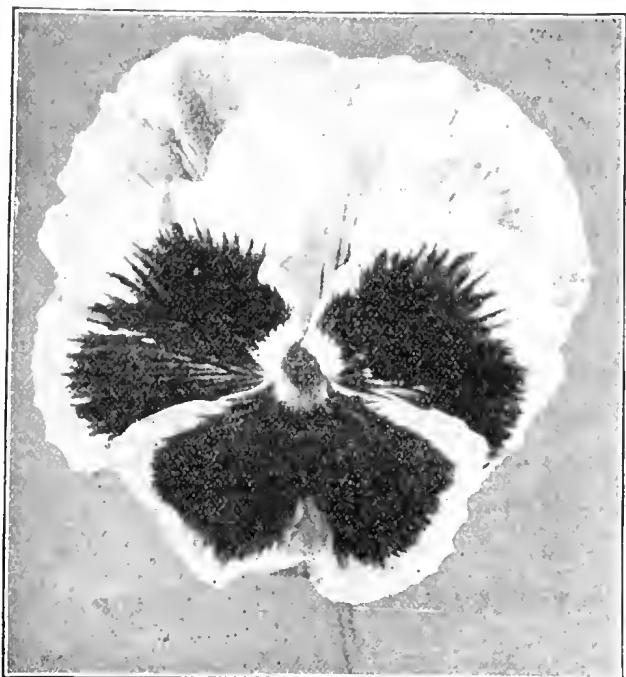
**Chinense.** A distinct and neat variety, growing about 18 inches high, with fine feathery foliage, and producing freely spikes of large blossoms in all the delicate shades of blue.....

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	PER PKT.	PER PKT.
<b>English Daisy</b> ( <i>Bellis Perennis</i> ). A favorite nearly hardy perennial plant, in bloom from early spring until well on in the summer.	25	
<b>Giant Rose.</b> The largest flowering of all.....	15	
<b>The Bride.</b> A fine new very double free-flowering pure white.....	15	
<b>Longfellow.</b> Large double pink flowers.....	10	
<b>Snowball.</b> Large and very double pure white.....	10	
<b>Giant Red.</b> Beautiful and densely double flowers....	10	
<b>Delicata.</b> Very double rosy-white flowers, with bright purplish-red centres.....	15	
<b>Double Mixed.</b> All colors of the finest quality.....	10	
<b>Eryngium Amethystinum</b> ( <i>Sea Holly</i> ). Handsome ornamental hardy plants, growing 2 to 3 feet high, with fine-cut, spiny foliage and beautiful thistle-like heads of amethystine-blue; fine for winter bouquets	10	
<b>Eupatorium Ageratoides</b> ( <i>Thorough-wort</i> ). A very useful variety, growing 3 to 4 feet high, with dense heads of minute white flowers from August to October.	10	
<b>Cælestinum.</b> One of the best blue perennials, 18 to 24 inches high, and bears from August till frost an abundance of clear, lavender-blue, flossy flowers; splendid for cutting.....	10	
<b>Gaillardia Kermesina Spendifens</b> ( <i>Blanket Flower</i> ). Centre rich crimson, narrow canary-yellow border...	10	
<b>Sulphurea Oculata.</b> Pale sulphur, maroon eye.....	15	
<b>Grandiflora Compacta.</b> New, compact variety, as rich and varied as the tall-growing sort.....	15	
<b>Grandiflora Superba.</b> Our own saving. Splendid mixed varieties. Oz., 50 cts.	15	
<b>Geum Atrossanguineum Fl. Pl.</b> ( <i>Arenos</i> ). Beautiful hardy perennial, bearing profusely large, showy, crimson flowers all through the summer.....	10	
<b>Gnaphalium Leontopodium</b> ( <i>Edelweiss</i> ). Principally found on the Alps of Switzerland.....	10	
<b>Golden Rod</b> ( <i>Solidago Canadensis</i> ). The well-known golden-yellow favorite.....	5	
<b>Grevillea Robusta</b> ( <i>Silk Oak</i> ). A very beautiful and graceful decorative plant, with fern-like foliage; excellent for table decoration; easily raised from seed, producing good sized plants in a short time.....	10	
<b>Gypsophila Paniculata</b> ( <i>Baby's Breath</i> ). White flowers, fine for bouquets; one of the favorite hardy perennials; 2 feet. Per oz., 30 cts.....	10	
<b>Helenium Autumnale Superbum</b> ( <i>Sneeze-wort</i> ). Large heads of golden-yellow flowers; 5 to 6 feet.....	10	
<b>Grandicephalum Striatum.</b> Deep orange, irregularly streaked with crimson; 3 feet.....	10	
— <b>Cupreum.</b> A new copper-colored variety.....	15	
<b>Helianthus Perennial</b> ( <i>Sunflower</i> ). A mixture of the finest single-flowering hardy perennial sorts.....	10	
<b>Heliopsis Pitcheriana</b> ( <i>Orange Sunflower</i> ). A desirable hardy plant, beginning to flower early in the season and continuing the entire summer. The flowers are of a beautiful deep golden yellow.....	10	
<b>Pitcheriana semi-plena.</b> A new semi-double form.	15	
<b>Scaber Major.</b> Very similar to Pitcheriana, but with much larger flowers.....	10	
<b>Hibiscus Palustris</b> ( <i>Marshmallow</i> ). Large pink....	5	
<b>Moscheutos</b> ( <i>Swamp Rose Mallow</i> ). Flowers 6 inches in diameter, rosy-red, with dark centre.....	5	
<b>Crimson Eye.</b> Flowers of the largest size, pure white, with a large spot of velvety crimson in the centre....	10	
<b>Hollyhock.</b> One of the most majestic of hardy plants, and a clump or line in any garden gives an effect not attainable with any other plant. For planting among shrubbery or forming a background for other flowers it is without equal. The seeds offered have been saved from the finest double flowers.	10	
<b>Double White.....</b> 10   <b>Double Bright Red...</b> 10		
— <b>Yellow.....</b> 10   — <b>Bright Pink.....</b> 10		
— <b>Salmon Rose ...</b> 10   — <b>Maroon .....</b> 10		
<b>"Allegheny."</b> Mammoth flowers formed of loosely arranged fringed petals, which look as if made from the finest China-silk. The colors vary from the palest shrimp pink to deep red.....	10	
<b>Extra Choice Double Mixed.</b> Per $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 30 cts...	10	
<b>Imported Collection</b> of 12 colors.....	75	
<b>Collection</b> of above 6 colors.....	50	
<b>Single.</b> Many prefer the single-flowering Hollyhocks. They are usually of freer growth than the doubles, and present a very handsome appearance when covered with their artistic blossoms; mixed colors... .	10	



HOLLYHOCKS.



DREER'S ROYAL EXHIBITION PANSY.

**Mignonette Deflance.** Spikes of remarkable size, from 12 to 15 inches long; deliciously fragrant. Per oz., 60 cts. .... 10

**Machet.** Well adapted for pot culture; dwarf pyramidal growth, bearing numerous flower stalks; highly colored and very fragrant. Per oz., 60 cts. .... 10

**Goliath.** Plants of compact habit, with rich green foliage, the giant trusses of flowers being borne on erect, strong, stiff stalks and surpassing all others in brilliancy of color; especially suited for house culture. .... 15

**Miles' Hybrid Spiral.** Of strong branching habit; very fragrant. Per oz., 25 cts. .... 5

**Improved Red Victoria.** Fine spikes of brilliant red. .... 10

**Large-flowering Pyramidal.** Flowers large, of a reddish tint. Per oz., 25 cts. .... 5

**Monarda Didyma rosea (Bee Balm).** Free-growing, hardy plant, flowers bright rose. .... 15

**Didyma splendens.** A fine, showy, bright crimson-scarlet sort. .... 15

**Musa Ensete (Abyssinian Banana).** A splendid plant for the open air in summer, producing a most striking effect when planted singly or in groups. The seeds germinate easily if started in autumn, and the plants can be then carried over in the house till the following summer. .... 25

**Myosotis Alpestris Cœrulea (Forget-Me-Not).** Bright blue. Per oz., 60 cts. .... 5

— **Ellza Fonrobert (Robusta Grandiflora).** Large-flowering; bright blue. .... 5

— **Victoria.** Of bushy habit, bearing large umbels of bright azure-blue flowers. .... 10

— **Victoria Blue.** This beautiful variety belongs to the upright pillar-shaped section; the flowers are of larger size and a deeper blue than any other; unexcelled for pot culture. .... 15

**Dissitiflora.** Compact habit, profuse bloomer; exquisite blue; an attractive spring bedding plant. .... 10

**Palustris.** The true Forget-Me-Not; beautiful blue flowers. .... 10

— **Semperflorens.** A charming dwarf Forget-Me-Not, continuing in bloom from early spring until autumn; blue. .... 10

**Onothena Mixed (Evening Primrose).** Charming, mostly low-growing hardy perennial plants, with large and showy flowers of yellow, white, etc. .... 10

	PER PKT.
<b>Pansies. Dreer's Royal Exhibition.</b> Our finest mixture, unexcelled for size, coloring and texture. Special packet of about 2000 seeds, \$1.00. ....	50
<b>Dreer's Premium Mixture.</b> Seed saved from first-class flowers only. $\frac{1}{8}$ oz., 75 cts. ....	25
<b>Mme. Perret.</b> A new French strain; flowers of large size; specially rich in red shades. ....	25
<b>Masterpiece (Frilled Pansy).</b> A remarkable type, each petal being conspicuously curled or waved; mixed. ....	25
<b>Cassier's Giant.</b> A mixture of the finest blotched varieties. ....	25
<b>Giant Parisian.</b> Of very large size, and containing a great many fancy colors and color combinations. ....	15
<b>English Finest Mixed.</b> $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts. ....	10
<b>Good Mixed.</b> All colors. $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 75 cts. ....	5
<b>Giant Trilmardeau Pansies.</b> Of strong, robust growth, well adapted to the trying conditions of our climate.	
<b>Black.</b> .... 10	Yellow, with dark eye
<b>Striped.</b> .... 10	Emperor William
<b>White, with dark eye.</b> .... 10	Fire King
<b>Finest Mixed.</b> A splendid range of colors. ....	
A packet each of the above six fine colors. ....	
<b>Pansies in Separate Colors.</b>	
<b>Adonis.</b> Soft lavender blue with three deep blue blotches on the lower petals. ....	10
<b>Andromeda.</b> Apple-blossom pink, suffused rosy lilac	
<b>Cardinal.</b> The nearest approach to a bright red. ....	10
<b>Emperor William.</b> Brilliant ultramarine blue. ....	10
<b>Emperor Franz Joseph.</b> Pure white, with five large violet blue blotches. ....	20
<b>Faust (King of the Blacks).</b> Almost black. ....	10
<b>Golden Yellow.</b> With dark eye. ....	10
<b>Kaiser Frederick.</b> Velvety brownish-red, edged red and yellow, very rich. ....	10
<b>Lord Beaconsfield.</b> Deep purple violet, shading to white on the upper petals. ....	10
<b>Mahogany Colored.</b> ....	10
<b>Mauve Queen.</b> Delicate mauve. ....	20
<b>Peacock.</b> Upper petals blue, lower deep claret, with white margins. ....	10
<b>Psyche.</b> Five velvety-violet blotches, relieved by a broad margin of white. ....	15
<b>Snow Queen (Candidissima).</b> Satiny-white. ....	10
<b>White.</b> With dark eye. 10	Yellow Gem, Pure
<b>Collection.</b> 6 varieties. 40	yellow
	Collection. 12 varieties



DEFIANCE MIGNONETTE.

	PER PKT.
<b>Pentstemon, Barbatus Torreyi.</b> ( <i>Beard tongue</i> ). Brilliant coral-red.....	10
<b>Digitalis</b> ( <i>Foxglove Pentstemon</i> ). Spikes of white flowers, with purple throat.....	5
<b>Pulchellus hybridus.</b> Varying in all shades from rosy white and chamois to purple and violet.....	15
<b>Mixed.</b> A great variety of kinds and colors.....	5
<b>Phlox Decussata</b> ( <i>Hardy Phlox</i> ). This is justly considered the finest of all hardy perennials. Orders will be filled as soon as new crop is gathered; October. $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 50 cts.....	10
<b>Physostegia Virginica</b> ( <i>False Dragon Head</i> ). One of the prettiest hardy perennials, forming dense bushes 3 to 4 feet high, and bearing freely during the summer months spikes of delicate tubular flowers.....	10
<b>Platycodon</b> ( <i>Chinese Bellflower</i> ). One of the best hardy perennials.	
<b>Grandiflorum.</b> Large steel blue flowers.....	5
— <b>Album.</b> Pure white variety.....	5
<b>Flavescens.</b> Rich violet-blue; plant dwarf and compact.	5
<b>Japonicus</b> Fl. Pl. ( <i>Double Japanese Bell Flower</i> ). The inner petals alternate with the outer ones, giving the flower the appearance of a ten-pointed blue star.....	10
<b>Polyanthus, English.</b> All colors mixed.....	5
<b>Gold Laced.</b> Very showy and attractive.....	15
<b>Polygonum compactum</b> ( <i>Knotweed</i> ). A fine hardy perennial bearing in fall masses of foamy-white flowers; 18 inches.....	15
<b>Poopy Bracteatum</b> Large orange-scarlet flowers.	5
<b>Iceland</b> ( <i>P. nudicaule</i> ). Of graceful, neat habit, with bright green fern-like foliage, formed in tufts, and bearing flowers in endless profusion.	
— <b>Double Scarlet</b> ... 10   — <b>Pure White</b> ....	10
— <b>Bright Yellow</b> ... 10   — <b>Orange Scarlet</b> ..	10
— <b>Mixed.</b> All colors .....	10
— <b>New Hybrid.</b> The latest development in this lovely species, varying in color from sulphur-yellow through different shades of orange to chamois and salmon-rose	15
<b>Orientale</b> ( <i>Oriental Poppy</i> ). Deep crimson flowers, having a conspicuous black blotch on each petal.....	10
<b>Orientale Hybrids.</b> Beautiful new hybrids, producing flowers of immense size and of many novel colors, such as salmon, pink, cherry, etc. ....	15
<b>Orientale Mammoth.</b> A new variety; the largest of all; flowers glowing scarlet.....	20



ORIENTAL POPPY.



PRIMULA OBCONICA GRANDIFLORA.

	PER PKT.
<b>Primula Sinensis</b> ( <i>Chinese Fringed Primrose</i> ). <b>Alba Magnifica.</b> The finest pure white.....	50
<b>Chiswick Red.</b> Large brilliant scarlet.....	50
<b>Rosy Morn.</b> Beautiful delicate pink.....	50
<b>Kermesina Splendens.</b> Rich crimson, yellow eye.	25
<b>Holborn Blue.</b> Unique shade.....	50
<b>White.</b> Finely fringed.....	25
<b>Stellata.</b> Large heads of star-shaped flowers of various colors; a splendid type for decorative purposes.....	50
<b>Red.</b> Deep red; fringed.....	25
<b>Double-flowering.</b> Finest varieties; mixed.....	50
<b>Fern-leaved Finest Mixed.</b> ....	25
<b>Dreer's Choicest Mixed.</b> This mixture contains nothing but the finest sorts, and cannot fail to give entire satisfaction.....	25
<b>Various Primulas.</b> The following varieties are of the easiest culture, flowering abundantly:	
<b>Obconica Grandiflora.</b> Pure white shading to lilac.....	10
— <b>Flimbrlata.</b> A fringed variety of the above.	15
— <b>carmine.</b> Rich carmine.....	20
— <b>compacta.</b> Fine dwarf, compact-growing form	25
<b>Forbesi</b> ( <i>Baby Primrose</i> ). Rosy-lilac flowers	25
<b>Floribunda</b> ( <i>Buttercup Primrose</i> ). Of the same general character as <i>Obconica</i> , differing only in color of the flower, which is a lovely shade of yellow.....	25
<b>Hardy Primroses.</b> These are among the best of the early spring blooming plants. With a slight protection they will stand the winter, but will do better in a cold frame.	
<b>Cortusoides Amœna</b> ( <i>Sieboldi</i> ). Mixed colors	25
<b>Japonica</b> ( <i>Japanese Primrose</i> ). Mixed colors	10
<b>Vulgaris</b> ( <i>English Primrose</i> ). Canary yellow	10
<b>Pyrethrum Hybridum.</b> Large, daisy-like flowers; light pink to deep red, with bright yellow centres.....	10
— <b>Grandiflorum.</b> New large-flowering form.	15
<b>Hybridum</b> Fl. Pl. Double; mixed colors...	25
<b>Ulininosum</b> ( <i>Giant Daisy</i> ). A fine, hardy perennial, grows 3 to 4 feet high, and from July to September is literally hidden beneath the large white flowers.....	10
<b>Rudbeckia Fulgida</b> ( <i>Cone-flower</i> ). An effective hardy perennial sort, producing in masses brilliant orange-yellow flowers.....	10
<b>Newman.</b> Bright orange-yellow petals, surrounding a large black cone.....	15
<b>Purpurea</b> ( <i>Giant Purple Cone-flower</i> ). Showy, reddish purple flowers.....	15

PER PKT.

<b>Rosmarinus Officinalis</b> ( <i>Rosemary</i> ). An old favorite aromatic herb, requires a warm, dry situation and a little protection.....	5
<b>Saponaria Caucasca Fl Pl</b> ( <i>Bouncing Bet</i> ). A hardy perennial of easy culture, producing all summer double blush-white fragrant flowers; 15 inches..	10
<b>Schizanthus Wisetonensis</b> . This variety is now largely used as a pot plant for the house or conservatory. It is remarkably free-flowering, and presents a beautiful appearance with its myriads of blooms, the ground color of which is white dotted with delicate rose, with a large spot on the upper lip varying in shade between golden-yellow, carmine, rose and light brown. A very shy seeder.....	25
<b>Scabiosa Caucasca</b> . One of the handsomest of hardy perennials, especially valuable for cutting, the bloom lasting a long time in water; lilac blue; 3 feet	10
<b>Japonica</b> . A new hardy variety from Japan; lavender blue.....	20
<b>Smilax</b> ( <i>Myrsiphyllum Asparagoides</i> ). In many respects Smilax is the most useful, and it is certainly one of the most graceful climbers which adorn the greenhouse or conservatory; for bouquets and floral decoration it is indispensable.....	10
<b>Statice</b> ( <i>Sea Lavender</i> ). Splendid hardy perennials, either for the border or rockery, producing all summer panicles of minute flowers, which can be dried and used for winter bouquets. Mixed varieties.....	10
<b>Stokesia Cyannea</b> ( <i>Cornflower Aster</i> ). This beautiful hardy perennial grows about 24 inches high, bearing handsome lavender-blue cornflower-like blossoms from July till frost. One of the choicest subjects for the hardy border.....	10
<b>Sweet Rocket</b> ( <i>Hesperis</i> ). Mixed colors.....	5
<b>Sweet William</b> ( <i>London Tufts</i> ). Well-known, free-flowering hardy perennials. We offer six of the best and most distinct single-flowering sorts, viz.:	5
White ..... 5   <b>Velvety Black Maroon</b>	
Crimson ..... 5   <b>Red</b> , with white eye.....	
Scarlet ..... 5   <b>Violet</b> , with white eye...	
A packet each of the above 6 colors, 25 cts.	
<b>Single Mixed</b> . All colors. Per oz., 30 cts.....	
<b>Holborn Glory</b> . Of extra large size and fine coloring. 2 pkts., 25 cts.....	
<b>Double Mixed</b> . Per 1/4 oz., 25 cts.....	
<b>Giant Double</b> . Producing immense umbels of full, double flowers; colors exceedingly varied.....	



STOKESIA CYANEA



SINGLE SWEET WILLIAM.

**Sweet Peas.** For early flowering we advise autumn planting; sow about the end of October in this latitude. The following are the choicest large-flowering sorts. For a complete list, see pages 98 and 99 of our Garden Book for 1907:

	oz. PKT.
<b>Aurora</b> . Orange rose-striped on white ground.....	10 5
<b>Blanche Ferry, Extra Early</b> . Pink and white..	10 5
<b>Coccinea</b> . Brilliant cerise.....	10 5
<b>Countess of Radnor</b> . Delicate lavender.....	10 5
<b>Countess of Lathom</b> . Creamy pink, very rich..	10 5
<b>Dainty</b> . White, daintily edged with pink.....	10 5
<b>Dorothy Eckford</b> . The finest white.....	10 5
<b>Duke of Westminster</b> . Purple, tinted violet... 10	5
<b>Earliest of All</b> . Same color as Blanche Ferry, but two weeks earlier.....	10 5
<b>Emily Henderson</b> . Purest white; fine.....	10 5
<b>Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon</b> . Primrose-yellow.....	10 5
<b>Janet Scott</b> . Beautiful deep pink.....	10 5
<b>King Edward VII</b> . The finest crimson-scarlet... 10	5
<b>Lady Grisel Hamilton</b> . The best pale lavender..	10 5
<b>Lord Roseberry</b> . Bright cherry rose.....	10 5
<b>Little Eckford</b> . White, edged lavender-blue....	10 5
<b>Lovely</b> . Charming La France pink.....	10 5
<b>Miss Willmott</b> . Brilliant orange-pink.....	10 5
<b>Mont Blanc</b> . New early-flowering pure white....	10 5
<b>Mrs. Walter Wright</b> . An exquisite deep mauve..	10 5
<b>Navy Blue</b> . Deep violet-blue.....	10 5
<b>Othello</b> . Very dark maroon, almost black.....	10 5
<b>Prima Donna</b> . Very large clear pink.....	10 5
<b>Prince of Wales</b> . Bright rose-pink.....	10 5
<b>Venus</b> . Light salmon pink and buff.....	10 5
<b>Dreer's Peerless Mixture</b> . Made up from named sorts. Lb., 75 cts.; 1/4 lb., 25 ets.....	10 5
<b>Tritoma Hybrida</b> ( <i>Red-hot Poker</i> ). Saved from our own collection, which is undoubtedly the finest in this country.....	25
<b>Tunica Saxifraga</b> . A neat, tufted hardy perennial plant, growing but a few inches high and bearing the entire season numerous elegant pink flowers....	10
<b>Valeriana</b> ( <i>Garden Heliotrope</i> ). Showy, hardy border plants, producing fragrant red and white flowers....	5
<b>Veronica Spicata</b> ( <i>Speedwell</i> ). An elegant hardy perennial, growing 18 inches high, bearing all summer spikes of bright blue flowers.....	10
<b>Virginia</b> . Long spikes of white flowers.....	10
<b>Violas, or Tufted Pansies, Mixed</b> . A splendid mixture of the best varieties.....	10
<b>Wallflower, Single Mixed</b> . All colors.....	5
<b>Double Finest Mixed</b> .....	10

...A FEW SPECIALTIES IN...

# VEGETABLE SEEDS—For Forcing.

On this page we offer a few of our leading varieties suitable for forcing; other sorts will be found in the general list on pages 72 and 73. Seeds we supply are fresh and of best quality.

PRICES FOR VEGETABLE SEEDS INCLUDE DELIVERY BY MAIL UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

## BEANS.

**Giant Forcer Bean.** Suitable for forcing under glass and also for outdoor culture. The pods are green, mature quickly and are exceedingly attractive. Pkt., 10 cts.; pt. 30 cts. (postpaid, 38 cts.); qt., 50 cts. (postpaid, 65 cts.); 4 qts., \$1.75, by express.

**Triumph of the Frames.** Very dwarf, prolific and of rich, tender quality. Pkt. 10 cts.; pt., 25 cts. (postpaid, 33 cts.); qt., 45 cts. (postpaid, 60 cts.); 4 qts., \$1.60, by express.

## BEETS.

**Early Model.** Shape nearly round, color blood-red, flesh remarkably sweet, tender and free from coarseness, tops quite small. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 40 cts.; lb., \$1.25.

**Crosby's Egyptian.** An improved strain of the Egyptian Beet, especially recommended for forcing. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; lb., 70 cts.

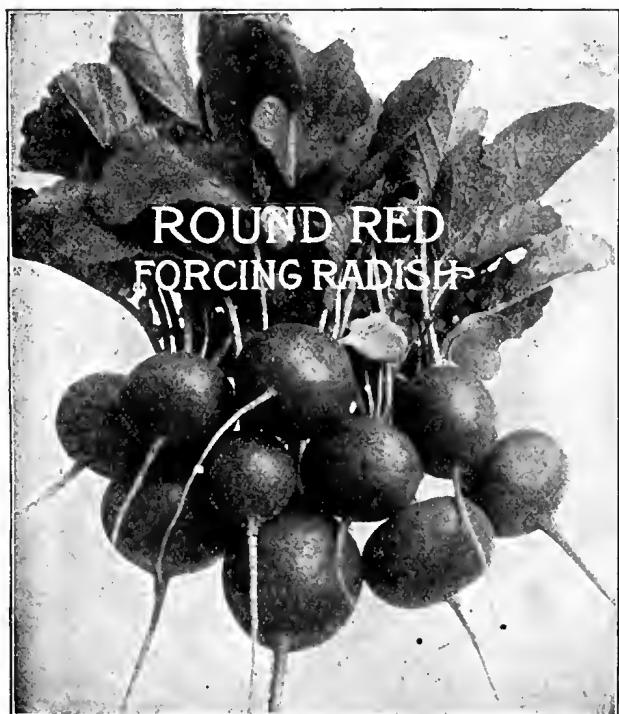
## CUCUMBER.

**Davis Perfect.** Color rich, dark glossy green, grows large, is tender, and a good forcer. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 75 cts.

**Arlington White Spine Forcing.** A fine strain of White Spine for forcing and outdoor growth. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 85 cts.

**Rochford's Market.** An English forcing Cucumber, pronounced the best of all for greenhouse forcing. Packets of 10 seeds, 25 cts.; 100 seeds, \$2.25.

For other English Forcing Cucumbers see page 73.



## LETTUCE FOR FORCING.

**May King.** (See cut.) Can be planted under glass or out of doors, and in either case will produce fine heads much sooner than any other variety. The outer leaves are yellowish-green tinged with brown, while the inside is rich golden yellow. Pkt., 10 cts.; oz., 25 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 75 cts.

**Boston Market (White seed).** Hardy and crisp; largely used for forcing. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 40 cts.

## MUSKMELONS FOR FORCING.

**Blenheim Orange.** A favorite variety, scarlet flesh, good flavor. Pkt., 25 cts.

**Windsor Castle.** Green flesh, oval shape, finely netted, delicious flavor. Pkt., 25 cts.

## RADISH FOR FORCING.

**Round Red Forcing.** (See cut.) Very short-leaved, small top; color of skin dark red, white-fleshed. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30 cts.; lb., 80 cts.

**Cardinal Globe.** Those who like the crisp little red Radishes that come so early will be pleased with this variety. It is a quick forcer, and the quality is fine, being crisp and tender. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

**Dreer's Crystal Forcing.** A beautiful white variety, quick forcer, and can also be grown in open ground. Pkt., 5 cts.; oz., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35 cts.; lb., \$1.00.

## FORCING TOMATOES

**Best of All.** The vines are strong and healthy, and produce Tomatoes in heavy bunches at short distances all over the plant. The fruits grow to a good size. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.

**Frogmore Selected.** A forcing variety of great merit. Shape round, color deep bright red, and very smooth. Pkt., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25 cts.; oz., 40 cts.

# GENERAL LIST OF

# DREER'S RELIABLE VEGETABLE SEEDS

## ... For Forcing and Fall Sowing ...

For the convenience of our patrons in the South, we give an extended list of the leading Vegetable Seeds, to enable them to make their purchases in the fall, their sowing season being nearly over by the time our spring list is issued.

Vegetable Seeds mailed free in packets, ounces or pounds. If Beans or Peas are wanted by mail, add 8 cts. per pint, 15 cts. per quart for postage.



### BEANS, Dwarf or Bush.

#### Green Pod Varieties.

If by mail, add 8 cts. per pint, 15 cts. per quart.

	PT.	QT.	PK.	
Improved Round-Pod Valentine	15	20	\$1 25	
Early Mohawk	15	20	1 25	
Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod	20	30	1 75	
Mammoth Stringless Green-Pod	20	30	1 75	
Giant Forcer (see page 71)	30	50	2 75	
Triumph of Frames, Forcing (see page 71)	25	45	2 25	

#### Wax Varieties.

	PT.	QT.	PK.	
Improved Rust-Proof Golden Wax	20	30	1 75	
Improved Prolific Black Wax	20	30	1 75	
Currie's Rust-Proof Wax	20	30	1 75	
Wardwell's Kidney Wax	20	30	1 75	

#### Bush Limas.

	PT.	QT.	PK.	
Dreer's Wonder Bush Lima	20	35	2 00	
Dreer's Bush Lima	20	35	2 00	
Burpee's Bush Lima	20	30	1 75	
Henderson's Bush Lima	20	30	1 75	

#### BEETS, Table Sorts.

	PT.	QT.	PK.	
Early Model (see page 71)	10	15	40	\$1 25
Crosby's Egyptian (see page 71)	5	10	25	70
Crimson Globe (see cut)	10	15	30	80
Dreer's Excelsior	10	15	30	80
Early Eclipse	5	10	25	70
Early Egyptian Blood Turnip	5	10	25	70
Bastian's Extra Early Turnip	5	10	20	60
Edmand's Early Blood Turnip	5	10	25	70
Early Blood Turnip, Improved	5	10	20	60
Bastian's Half-Long Blood	5	10	25	70
Long Dark Blood	5	10	20	60

### BROCCOLI.

	PT.	oz.	1/4 LB.	LB.
White Cape	10	25	\$1 00	

### BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

	PT.	oz.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Dreer's Selected Matchless	10	25	75	

### CABBAGE, Extra Early Varieties.

	PT.	oz.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Early Jersey Wakefield	5	25	75	
Charleston, or Large Wakefield	5	30	85	
Eureka, or First Early	10	25	75	
Early Spring	5	25	75	

### 2d Early and Late Varieties.

	PT.	oz.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Dreer's Early Drumhead	5	30	1 00	
All Head	5	30	85	
Improved Early Summer	5	20	60	
Dreer's Selected Flat Dutch	10	35	1 00	
Perfection Drumhead Savoy	5	25	75	

### CARROT.

Sow in cold frames in October for an early spring supply.

	PT.	oz.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Dreer's Perfect Forcing	10	20	50	
Earliest Short Horn	5	15	35	1 00
Early Scarlet Horn	5	10	30	90
Half-Long Nantes	5	10	30	90
Early Half-Long Scarlet	5	10	30	90
Rubicon, Half-Long	5	10	30	90
Nichol's Long Orange	5	10	25	80
Chantenay, Half-Long	5	10	30	90
Danver's Half-Long Orange	5	10	25	85

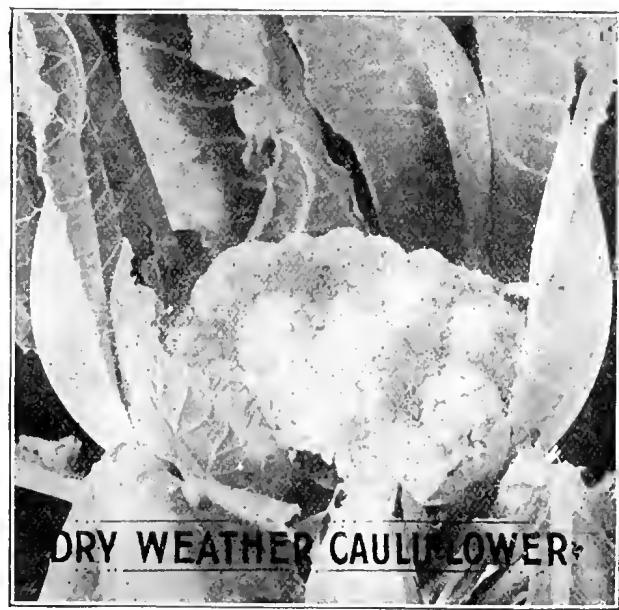
### CAULIFLOWER.

Sow for spring cutting from September to February.

	PT.	oz.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Dreer's Earliest Snowstorm	\$0 25	\$1 75		
Dreer's Selected Dwarf Erfurt	20	1 00		
Dry Weather (see cut)	20	1 00		
Early Snowball	20	1 00		
Early Dwarf Erfurt	10	75		

### CORN SALAD.

	PT.	oz.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Large Seeded	5	10	20	60



**CUCUMBER.** English Forcing Varieties.

	PKT.	100	SEEDS.
Rochford's Market (see page 71) . . . . .	\$0 25	\$2 25	
Covent Garden Favorite . . . . .	25	2 25	
Lockie's Perfection . . . . .	25	2 25	
Telegraph (Rollison's) . . . . .	20	1 75	
Sion House, Improved . . . . .	20	1 75	

**KALE, or BORECOLE.**

	PKT.	OZ.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Dreer's Imperial Long Standing . . . . .	5	10	30	90
Dwarf Curled German . . . . .	5	10	25	75

**LETTUCE.** For Fall Sowing.

	PKT.	OZ.	1/4 LB.
May King (see page 71) . . . . .	10	25	75
Dreer's All-Heart . . . . .	10	25	75
Wonderful . . . . .	10	20	50
Big Boston . . . . .	5	15	40
Boston Market, Forcing (see page 71) . . . . .	5	15	40
Silver Ball . . . . .	5	15	40
Mammoth Salamander . . . . .	5	20	50
Sensation . . . . .	5	20	50
Deacon . . . . .	5	15	40
Dutch Butter, Spotted . . . . .	5	20	50
Grand Rapids, Forcing . . . . .	5	15	40

**PURE CULTURE MUSHROOM SPAWN.**

Per brick, 30 cts. (by mail, 45 cts.); by express, 5 bricks, \$1.20; 10 bricks, \$2.00; 25 bricks, \$4.25; 50 bricks, \$7.50.

**DREER'S RELIABLE ENGLISH MILLTRACK MUSHROOM SPAWN.**

Per brick, 15 cts.; by mail, 25 cts. By express, 12 bricks, \$1.50; 25 lbs., \$2.50; 50 lbs., \$4.50; 100 lbs., \$8.00.

**FRENCH MUSHROOM SPAWN.**

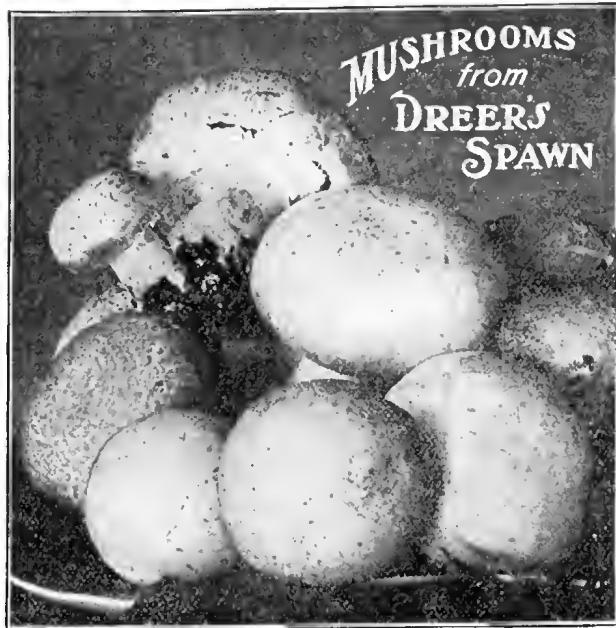
3 lb. box, \$1.25, by express.

Dreer's Mushroom Circular FREE with each order.

**PEAS.**

If by mail, add 8 cts. per pint, 15 cts. per quart.

	PT.	QT.	PKC.
Dreer's Electric Extra Early . . . . .	20	30	\$1 50
Dreer's Eureka Extra Early (see cut) . . . . .	20	30	1 50
Improved Daniel O'Rourke . . . . .	15	25	1 25
American Wonder . . . . .	20	35	1 80
Nott's Excelsior . . . . .	25	40	2 00


**PARSLEY.**

	PKT.	OZ.	1/4 LB.	LB.
Dreer's Dwarf Perfection . . . . .	10	35	\$1 00	
Dreer's Summer Green . . . . .	5	15	30	\$1 00
Dwarf Extra Curled . . . . .	5	10	25	75
Champion Moss Curled . . . . .	5	10	25	75
Fern-Leaved . . . . .	5	10	25	75

**RADISH.**

Crimson Giant . . . . .	10	15	40	1 25
Dreer's Crystal Forcing . . . . .	5	10	35	1 00
Cardinal Globe (see page 71) . . . . .	5	10	35	1 00
Round Red Forcing (see p. 71) . . . . .	5	10	30	80
Dreer's Crimson Ball . . . . .	5	10	30	1 00
White Tip, Scarlet Gem . . . . .	5	10	30	80
Dreer's First and Best . . . . .	10	15	40	1 25
Icicle Radish . . . . .	5	10	30	80
Early Scarlet Turnip . . . . .	5	10	25	70
Philadelphia White Box . . . . .	5	10	25	70
Round White Forcing . . . . .	5	10	30	80
Long Scarlet Short-Top . . . . .	5	10	25	70
Scarlet China Winter . . . . .	5	10	25	70
Round Black Spanish . . . . .	5	10	25	70

**SPINACH.**

Dreer's Round Seeded Savoy . . . . .	5	10	15	40
Victoria . . . . .	5	10	15	40
Long Standing, Round Seeded . . . . .	5	10	15	35
Prickly Seeded . . . . .	5	10	15	35

**TOMATOES.** For Forcing.

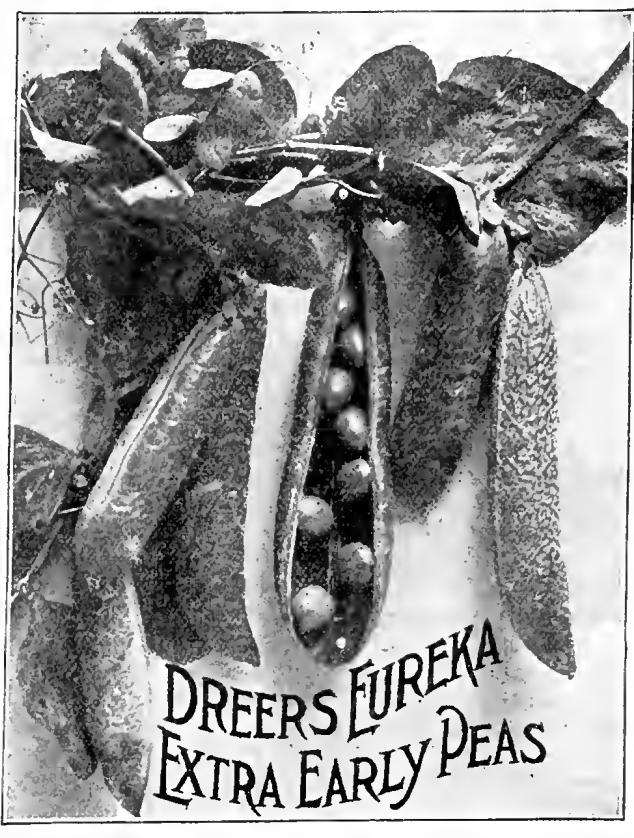
Frogmore Selected (see p. 71) . . . . .	10	40	
Best of All (see page 71) . . . . .	10	40	
Lorillard . . . . .	10	35	1 00
Mayflower . . . . .	5	30	80

**TURNIP.**

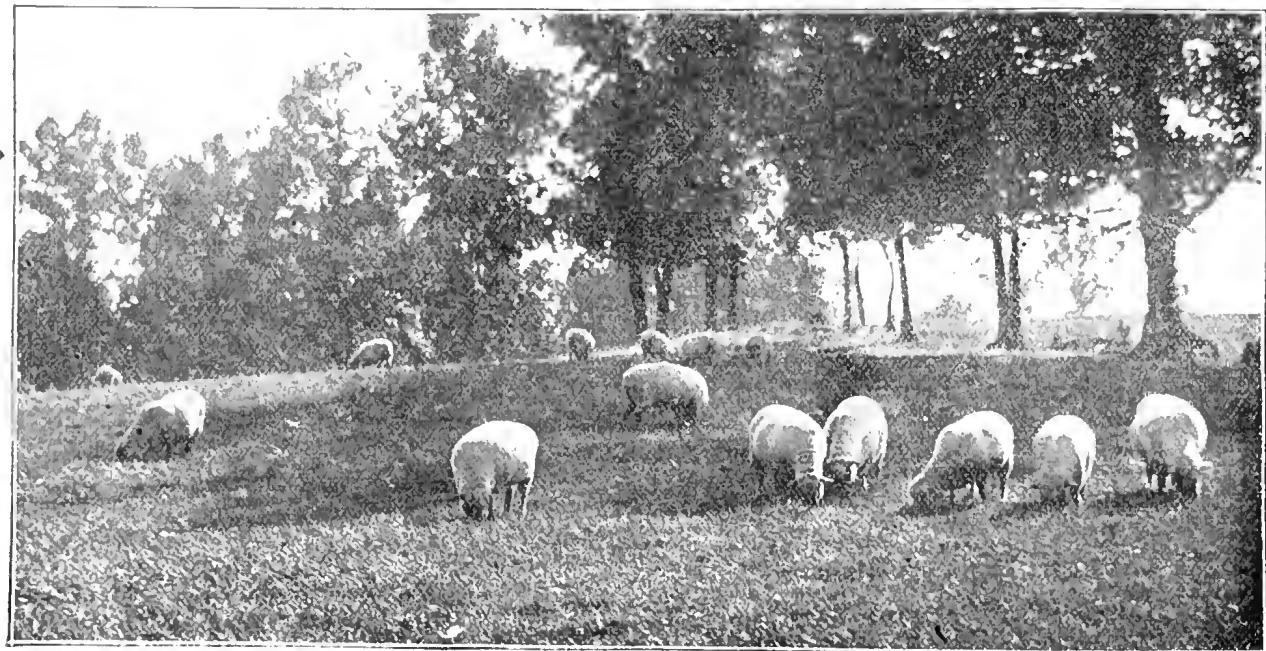
Red, or Purple-top Strap-leaf . . . . .	5	10	20	50
Purple-top White Globe . . . . .	5	10	20	50
Early White Flat Dutch . . . . .	5	10	20	50
Extra Early Purple-top Milan . . . . .	5	10	20	60
Early Purple-top Munich . . . . .	5	10	20	60
Early White Egg . . . . .	5	10	20	60
Early Snowball . . . . .	5	10	20	60
Yellow, or Amber Globe . . . . .	5	10	20	60
Large White Norfolk . . . . .	5	10	20	50
Large White, or Cowhorn . . . . .	5	10	20	60
Purple-top Yellow Aberdeen . . . . .	5	10	20	60

**RUTA-BAGA.**

Dreer's Improved Purple-top . . . . .	5	10	25	75
American Purple-top . . . . .	5	10	20	50
Budlong's Improved White . . . . .	5	10	25	75



# Grass Seeds for Lawn and Pleasure Grounds.



## The "Dreer" Lawn Grass.

This fine mixture of Grass Seed will quickly produce a permanent, thick and velvety sward. The "Dreer" Lawn Grass is a careful blending of fine growing varieties, each in its proper proportion, so that the result from its planting is a uniform growth of rich green grass. Per qt., 25 cts. (30 cts. postpaid); peck, \$1.25; bushel (20 lbs.), \$5.00.

## Dreer's "Evergreen" Lawn Mixture

This special mixture produces beautiful and permanent lawns. It is composed of Grasses adapted for the purpose of producing lawns which retain their rich green color and velvety appearance throughout the entire summer and fall. Per qt., 20 cts. (25 cts. postpaid); peck, \$1.00; bushel (20 lbs.), \$4.00.

## Dreer's "Shady Place" Mixture.

A special mixture of grasses suitable for growing in partially shaded situations. Per qt., 30 cts. (35 cts. postpaid); peck, \$1.50; bushel (20 lbs.), \$6.00.

## Dreer's Golf Links Mixture.

For Cricket Tables, Golf Links, Polo Grounds, or wherever a good tough sward is wanted, this seed will give perfect satisfaction. Peck, 75 cts.; bu. (15 lbs.), \$3.50.

## Dreer's Putting Green Mixture.

The varieties composing this mixture are all the finest-bladed, low-growing sorts, which produce a thick and beautiful turf. Per peck, \$1.50; bu. (20 lbs.), \$6.00.

## Dreer's Permanent Pasture Mixture

This formula is based upon successful experience. If your fields are old and worn out, it will pay to plow up and seed again with this mixture. You will be able to cut two good crops each year, whereas from Timothy only you can cut but one. Sow 50 lbs. to acre. In ordering state whether for light or heavy soil. Price, per lb., 25 cts. (by mail, 33 cts.); 15-lb. bu., \$2.75; 100 lbs., \$17.00.

## Re-cleaned Grass Seeds.

*If wanted by mail, add 8 cts. per lb.*

100 lbs.

<b>Kentucky Blue, Fancy.</b>	Per lb., 25 cts.; bu. (14 lbs.), \$2.75.....	\$19.00
<b>Red Top Grass.</b>	15-lb., 15 cts.; bu. (10 lbs.), \$1.40; bag (50 lbs.), \$6.00.....	9.00
<b>Red Top Grass, Fancy</b> (free from chaff).	Lb., 18 cts.; per bu. (32 lbs.), \$4.75.....	14.00
<b>Orchard Grass.</b>	Per lb., 20 cts.; per bu. (14 lbs.), \$2.50.....	16.00
<b>English Perennial Rye Grass.</b>	Per lb., 10 cts.; per bu. (24 lbs.), \$2.00.....	8.00
<b>Italian Rye Grass.</b>	Lb., 12 cts.; bu. (18 lbs.), \$1.60	8.00
<b>Creeping Bent.</b>	1-lb., 28 cts.; bu. (20 lbs.), \$5.25	24.00
<b>Rhode Island Bent.</b>	Per lb., 30 cts.; bu. (14 lbs.), \$2.75.....	25.00
<b>Sheep's Fescue.</b>	Per lb., 18 cts.; bu. (12 lbs.), \$2.00	15.00
<b>Fine-leaved Sheep's Fescue.</b>	Per lb., 35 cts	30.00
<b>Meadow Fescue.</b>	Per lb., 16 cts.; bu. (22 lbs.), \$3.00	13.00
<b>Tall Meadow Fescue.</b>	Per lb., 40 cts.....	35.00
<b>Hard Fescue.</b>	Per lb., 18 cts.; bu. (12 lbs.), \$2.00	15.00
<b>Red or Creeping Fescue.</b>	Per lb., 30 cts.....	25.00
<b>Meadow Foxtail.</b>	40 cts. per lb.; bu. (7 lbs.), \$2.75	35.00
<b>Perennial Sweet Vernal.</b>	Per lb., 65 cts.	
<b>Rough Stalked Meadow Grass.</b>	Per lb., 40 cts...	35.00
<b>Wood Meadow Grass.</b>	Per lb., 45 cts.; per bu. (14 lbs.), \$5.75.....	40.00
<b>Tall Meadow Oat Grass.</b>	Per lb., 30 cts.....	25.00
<b>Crested Dogstail.</b>	Per lb., 45 cts.; per bu. (21 lbs.), \$9.50.....	40.00
<b>Awlless Brome Grass.</b>	Per lb., 20 cts.	15.00
<b>Bermuda Grass.</b>	Per lb., 70 cts.	
<b>Timothy, Choice.</b>	Market price. Write for sample and price.	

**DREER'S LAWN GRASS SEEDS** sown in the early Fall make beautiful and permanent lawns. It is also a good time to repair damage done by Fall grass by raking it out as soon as it dies down and sowing Lawn Grass Seed on the bare spots.

**CRIMSON OR SCARLET CLOVER.***(Trifolium incarnatum.)*The Great Soil Improver, Early Green Feed, Grazing or  
for Hay Crop.

**Soiling**, or early green feed, is important in the early spring. As Crimson Clover is so much ahead of the pasture it can be readily cut and carried to the stabled stock. It will not make a second crop in time for turning under for green manure.

**Fertilizer.** This is one of the best uses to which Crimson Clover is a suited. Its capacity for stooling and root formation is very great; like other plants it gathers nitrogen from the air and stores it in the plants and roots, which become valuable food for crops that follow.

**Pasturage.** When sown early enough to get a good start Crimson Clover will make a splendid winter grazing for sheep and cattle, and is the earliest pasture in spring.

**Hay.** Crimson Clover produces from 2 to 3 tons of cured Hay per acre. To secure the best quality of Hay it should be cut before full bloom. It cures very rapidly and should be carefully handled to retain as much leaf as possible, but the stalks are very nutritious.

Write for sample and price of our fancy re-cleaned seed of Crimson Clover.

**CLOVER SEEDS.**

Red or Medium ..... Market price, write for sample.  
Alfalfa, or Lucerne ..... " " " " "  
Alsike ..... " " " " "  
White Dutch, Choice, 25 cts. per lb. (by mail, 33 cts.), bu. (60 lbs.) \$13.20; \$22.00 per 100 lbs.

**VETCHES.**

**Winter Vetches, or Tares** (*Vicia villosa*). Also called Sand, or Hairy Vetch. Sow from one-half to one bushel per acre, together with one-half bushel of Rye. Per lb., 12 cts. (by mail, 20 cts.); bu. (60 lbs.), \$7.00; per 100 lbs., \$11.00. Add cost of bags (20 cts.) for each 2 bushel.

**OATS.**

**Grey Winter Oats.** This variety has been thoroughly tested, has stood the severest winter, is entirely rust-proof; can be sown as late as November 1st. Bus., \$1.50. Add cost of bags (20 cts.) for each 2 bushel.

**RYE.**

**Thousandfold Winter Rye.** In hardiness and yield this variety stands foremost, will winter through severe seasons. Straw heavy and stiff of a light yellow color. Bus., \$1.30. Add cost of bags (20 cts.) for each 2 bushel.

**RAPE.**

**Rape, Dwarf Essex.** A forage plant of the highest value. It can be sown in this latitude as late as September, and still later further South; it is sown broadcast at the rate of 10 lbs. to the acre, but is better drilled, in which case 5 lbs. to the acre are enough. In a few weeks from time of sowing, sheep, hogs or cattle can be turned on it, and all reports agree that they gain weight faster on this than any other fodder. 15 cts. per lb. (by mail, 23 cts.); 10 lbs., 90 cts.; per bus. (50 lbs.), \$3.50; per 100 lbs., \$6.50. Add cost of bags (20 cts.) for each 2 bushel.

**SELECTED SEED WHEAT.**

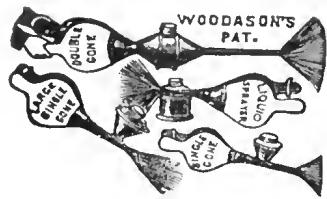
**Fultz-Mediterranean Wheat** (*Bald*). A cross of Fultz on Hybrid Mediterranean, which has absorbed the best qualities of both. The heads are large and full of beautiful, plump, red grains. The straw is stout and stiff, thereby enabling it to stand up well. This new variety is productive, and makes a crop of more than the average yield. Peck, 60 cts.; bus., \$1.85. Add cost of bags (20 cts.) for each 2 bushel.

**Improved Dietz Longberry Wheat** (*Bearded*). This valuable early wheat will do well on all kinds of soil. Sown either early or late, it always yields a large crop of choice high-grade wheat, even after hard, icy winters. It is a very close-chafed wheat, and holds the berry tight. Peck, 50 cts.; bus., \$1.70. Add cost of bag (20 cts.) for each 2 bushel.

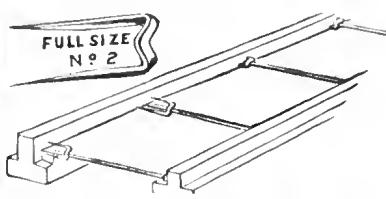
**Improved Fultz Wheat** (*Bald*). This variety is more widely known in the United States than any other kind, and probably more acreage is sown of this than any other; grows to a medium height, with stiff, strong straw, ripens early, and seldom fails to make a good crop. Peck, 50 cts.; bus., \$1.70. Add cost of bags (20 cts.) for each 2 bushel.



IMPROVED DIETZ LONGBERRY WHEAT.



BELLOWS.



PEERLESS GLAZING POINTS.



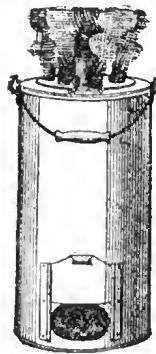
COPPER INDESTRUCTIBLE LABELS.



BURLAP MATS.



BERRY AND WINE PRESS.



PERFECTION FUMIGATOR.



GRASS HOOK.



GARDEN AND GREENHOUSE HOSE.

## POWDER AND SPRAY BELLOWS.

Double Cone Powder.....	\$3.00	Large Spraying.....	\$1.75
Large Single Cone Powder	1.75	Small ".....	1.25
Special Sulphur.....	1.50	Tin Powder Dusters. 10 and	35
Small Single Cone Powder	1.00	Jumbo Hand Gun.....	35

BERRY AND WINE PRESS. No. 1, \$2.75; No. 2, \$4.50; No. 3, 6 25

BRACKETS FOR POTS (Steel). No. 1, for 5-inch pots, 25 cts.,

No. 2, for 6-inch pots, 30 cts.; No. 3, for 7-inch pots..... 35

BRACKETS FOR POTS (Iron). For 1 pot, 25 cts.; for 2 pots..... 50

CARNATION SUPPORTS (Wire). 2-Ring, per doz., 45 cts.;

per 100, \$4.00; per 1000..... 27.50

3-Ring, per doz., 55 cts.; per 100, \$3.50; per 1000..... 32.50

CIDER MILL. Junior, \$12.00; Medium, \$16.00; Senior..... 20.00

FRUIT PICKER. Wire, 30 cts.; Crider's..... 75

" Schneidig. (A new invention)..... 50

FUMIGATORS. Perfection and Eureka. The Perfection is made

with vapor tank; the vapor prevents scorching.

Size. For Greenhouse. Eureka. Perfection.

1 10 x 20 feet.....	\$1.25	\$3.00
2 12 x 40 "	1.75	3.50
3 15 x 100 "	2.25	4.00
4 20 x 100 "	3.25	

GLAZING POINTS. Peerless. Three sizes. No. 1, for small single thick glass; No. 2, for medium double thick glass; No. 2½, for large double thick and skylight glass. Per 1000, 60 cts.; postpaid, 75 cts.

GLASS CUTTER. Small diamond, \$3.00; large..... 4.00

" Steel wheel..... 1.15

GLOVES. Buckskin, for pruning thorny plants..... 1.25

GRASS HOOKS (Sickles). English riveted back

No. 0..... \$2.35 | No. 2..... 50

No. 1..... 40 | No. 3..... 00

American, plain, 25 cts.; Dutch, 30; Solid, English, 30 cts.; Little

Giant..... 50

HOSE REELS (Wirt's) all iron. No. 10 holds 7½ feet, \$2.75; No.

20 holds 150 feet, \$10.00; No. 30 holds 500 feet, \$5.00. Wooden—

No. 1 holds 50 feet, \$1.50; No. 2 holds 100 feet..... 2.00

## RUBBER GARDEN AND GREENHOUSE HOSE.

Challenge, 3-ply, 3/16 in.....	Per ft., \$0.10
Extra Quality, 3-ply, 3/16 in.....	1.2
Fine Quality, 3-ply, 3/16 in.....	1.5
Fine Quality, 4-ply, 3/16 in.....	1.8
Wire Wrapped Hose, 3-ply, 3/16 in.....	1.6
Chicago Electric, cut any length.....	1.7
Flexo, cut to any length.....	1.6

Couplings included with above. Special price quoted on large quantities

HOSE MENDERS. Hudson's. Box of 6 tubes, 20 bands, 1 pair pliers, 65 cts.; by mail, 75 cts.; separate menders, per doz., 49 cts.; separate bands, per doz., 20 cts. Jones', 5 cts. each; per doz., 50 cts. Cooper's, 10 cts. each; per doz., \$1.00.

HOSE NOZZLES. (all 3/4 in.) Gem, 25 cts.; Boston, 50 cts.;

Boss, 40 cts.; Brass, with stop-cock, spray rose and stream..... 75

HUSKING PINS. Stamped steel, 15 cts.; solid steel, 25 cts.

KNIVES. Brush, American, \$1.00; English..... 1.75

" Corn and Hedge, American, 40 cts.; Little Giant..... 50

## LABELS, PAINTED, POT AND TREE.

100.	1000.	100.	100.	Per 100.
3 1/2 inch, go. 10	\$0.75	5-inch, \$0.20	\$1.25	10-inch..... \$0.50
4 " 12	85	6 " 25	1.50	12 " ..... 75
4 1/2 " 15	1.00	8 " 35	3.25	

LABELS. For trees and shrubs, 3 1/2 in., notched, per 100, 25 cts.; per 1000..... 1.00

With wire, per 100, 25 cts.; per 1000..... 1.25

Copper, indestructible, heavy. No. 2, doz., 30 cts.; gross..... 2.00

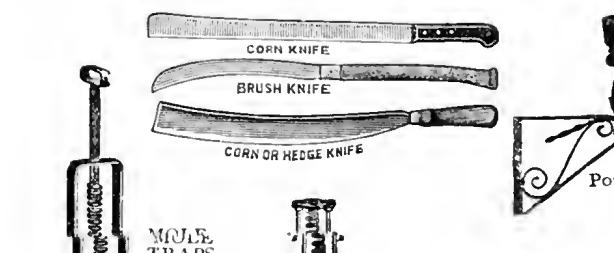
Light, No. 2, per doz., 25 cts.; per gross..... 1.75

White Metal, per doz., 15 cts.; per gross..... 1.25

Zinc, tree, heavy, small, per 100, 60 cts.; medium, \$1.50; large..... 3.00

LABEL INK. Indelible, for heavy zinc labels, per bottle..... 25

LABEL PENCILS. For wood labels, each 5 cts.; per doz..... 50



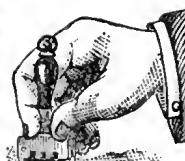
REDDICK.

OLMSTED.

SCHNEIDIG FRUIT PICKER.



POT BRACKET (Steel.)



DIAMOND GLASS CUTTER.



CRIDER'S.



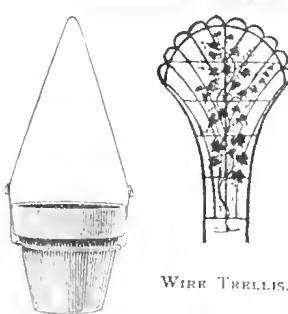
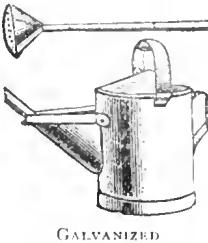
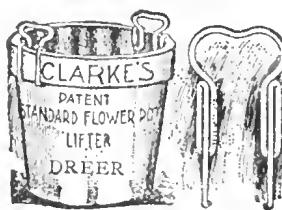
CORN HUSKING PINS.



POT BRACKET (Iron.)

WIR CARNATION SUPPORT





WIRE POT HANGER.



ENGLISH ROUND WHETSTONE



GRASS SHEAR



ENGLISH STEEL TROWEL.



EUREKA WEEDEER.



WEEDING FORK.



SIEVES.



SCYTHE.

## MATS. For hotbeds Burlap (frostproof).

40 x 76 inches, to cover 1 sash.....	1 00
76 x 76 " " 2 sashes.....	1 50

Waterproof, one side canvas.

40 x 76 inches, to cover 1 sash.....	1 25
76 x 76 " " 2 sashes.....	1 75

Straw, for 1 sash, \$1.00; 2 sashes.....

Rattan, 6 x 6, for 2 sashes.....

MOLE TRAPS. Reddick, \$1.00; Olmsted's.....	1 50
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## FLOWER POT LIFTER.

This ingenious pot lifter is a safeguard against broken Jardinières, and also water-soaked plants, as they can be easily lifted from the Jardinière with safety. Sizes to fit from 6-inch to 12 inch pots, made of brass wire. Price, 15 cts. per pair.

**WATERING CANS.** Galvanized. Two qualities, heavy and light. The heavy have brass tips and two copper-faced roses; the light has one rose.

Light. Round (heavy). Oval.	Light. Round (heavy). Oval.
4 qt....\$2 49	\$1 60
6 " " 50	1 85
8 " " 60	2 00

4 qt., 75 cts.; 6 qt.

Light. Round (heavy). Oval.	Light. Round (heavy). Oval.
10 qt....\$2 70	\$2 25
12 " " 80	2 60
16 " " 90	3 15

**WATERING CAN.** Low greenhouse, galvanized, 4-qt..... 1 50  
Window Garden. Light weight, painted Nile green, 2-qt., 50 cts.; 4-qt., 75 cts.; 6-qt.

**SYRINGES.** Brass, No. A, stream and spray, \$2.50; No. C, stream and spray, \$3.75; No. 2, stream and 2 sprays, \$4.75; No. 3, stream and 2 sprays, \$7.25; No. 5, stream and 2 sprays, \$7.75; No. G, stream and spray, curved neck, \$4.75; No. H, spray..... 2 75

**LAWN SHEARS.** For cutting grass under fences, shrubs, etc. English, with two wheels, 9-in. blades, \$2.50 per pair; American..... 1 50

**EDGING OR BORDER SHEARS.** English, 8-in blade, \$2.00; 10-in. blade, \$2.50 per pair; with wheel, 8-in. blade, \$2.50; 10-in. blade, \$3.00 per pair

**HEDGE.** English, 8-in., \$1.50; 9-in., \$1.75; 10-in., \$2.00; 12-in..... 2 50  
German, Notched, 8-in., \$1.50; 9-in., \$1.75; 10-in..... 2 00

**HEDGE AND LAWN.** Combination. Double cut..... 6 00

**GRASS OR SHEEP SHEARS.** English, 7 1/2-in blade, with spring, \$1.15; without spring, \$1.00. American, 25 cts., 35 cts., 50 cts. and 75 cts. per pair.

**SHEARS** (Pole Pruning). Telegraph, without Pole..... 1 00

Water's, with Pole, 4 ft., 75 cts.; 6 ft., 85 cts.; 8 ft., \$1.00; 10 ft., \$1.10; 12 ft..... 1 25

(Hand Pruning). Dreer's Special, 9-in..... 1 50

French, 7-in., \$1.25; 8-in., \$1.50; 9-in..... 1 75

Perfection, 7-in., \$1.75; 8-in., \$2.00; 9-in..... 2 25

German, 1st. quality, 8-in., \$1.00; 9-in..... 1 25

" " 2d. " 8-in., 50cts.; 9-in..... 75

" Nickel, small, 85 cts.; large..... 1 00

**SPRAY SYRINGE.** For insecticides. Tin, 50 cts., brass..... 1 00

**RAPHIA.** For tying plants. Lb., 20 cts.; 5 lbs..... 85

**SAWS.** Pruning, 14-in., 60 cts.; 16-in., 70 cts.; 18-in., 80 cts.; 20-in., \$1.00; 24-in..... 1 25

" Double edge, lightning, 16-in..... 65

" Adjustable Pole Tree Saw, 18-in. blade..... 75

**SIEVES.** 18-in., 75 cts.; 20-in..... 85

**TROWELS.** American steel, 10 cts., 20 cts. and 25 cts. English steel, 6-in., 40 cts.; 7-in..... 50

" CLEVES ANGLE. 5-in., 15 cts.; 8-in..... 25

**HAND-WEEDING FORK** ..... 25

**SCYTHES.** English lawn, riveted back, best steel, 30, 32 and 34-in., \$1.00; 36-in., \$1.15; 38-in..... 1 25

Waldron, English lawn, 36 to 42-in..... 1 50

American lawn, 75 cts.; Bush, short..... 75

**SCYTHE SNATH.** Improved pattern..... 75

" STONE. Darby, 10 cts.; English, 15 cts.; German..... 20

**WIRE TRELLIS.** For training vines. 12-in., 20 cts.; 15-in., 25 cts.; 18-in., 30 cts.; 24-in..... 40

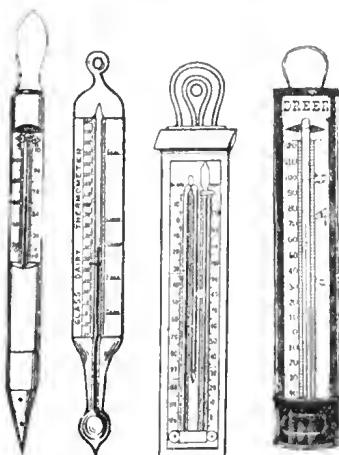
**WIRE POT HANGER.** For 5 to 8-in. pots. Each, 5 cts.; doz..... 50

**AUTO-SPRAY.** Holds 4 gallons; easily carried; one pumping will spray 15 minutes. Galvanized iron, \$4.50; brass..... 6 00

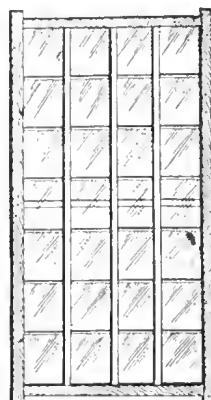
**WEEDERS.** Eureka (steel), 25 cts.; Excelsior, 10 cts.; Lang's, 25 cts.; Climax..... 7

**RUBBER SPRINKLERS.** Straight or bent neck, large, \$1.00; small, 50 cts. Postage, 10 cts. extra.

## THERMOMETERS.

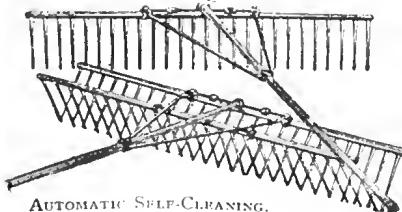


MUSH- DAIRY. COFFEE. SELF- REGISTERING.

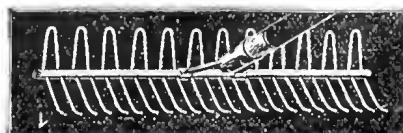


HOT-BED SASH.

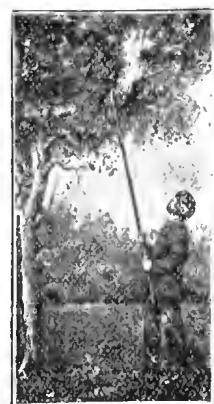
## LAWN KING RAKE.



AUTOMATIC SELF-CLEANING.



HUSTLER LAWN RAKE.



ASBESTOS TORCH.

**PLANT BED PROTECTING CLOTH.** A cheap substitute for glass. Bag it grade, 5 cts. per yard, per piece of about 70 yards, per yard, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$  cts. Medium grade, 9 cts. per yard, per piece of about 65 yards, per yard, 8 cts. Heavy grade, 12 cts. per yard, per piece of about 50 yards, per yard.

**RAKES FOR THE LAWN, Etc.** — "Hustler Lawn," galvanized wire, 24 teeth, 50 cts.; 42 teeth, 75 cts.; "Lawn King," wooden, 22 teeth, 40 cts.; 26 teeth, 53 cts.; 36 teeth, 75 cts.; 50 teeth, \$1.00 each. "Automatic," self-cleaning, wooden, 22 teeth, 60 cts.; 26 teeth, 75 cts.; 36 teeth, \$1.00; 50 teeth, \$1.50 each. Ames' Wood, 24 teeth, 70 cts. each. Warren (wood), 20 teeth, 50 cts.; 26 teeth, 85 cts. Ole Olsen (wood), 26 teeth.

**GEM LAWN CLEANER.** 24-in., for grass and leaves. 15.00

**PLANT STANDS (Wire)** 2-shelf, square or half-round. 3.25

" " 3 " " " 4.00

" " (Wood) 3 " \$1.25; 4-shelf. 1.75

Dreer's Iron BLACK, GALVANIZED, BRONZED.

15 inches high. 50 50 \$0.75 6

18 " 60 85 1.25

24 " 75 1.10 1.50

30 " 1.00 1.35 1.65

36 " 1.25 1.40 1.80

**SASH.** Hot-bed, 3 ft. 2 in. by 6 ft., unglazed, \$1.50, glazed. 3.25

**TORCH (Asbestos).** For caterpillars. 40

Peerless. Kerosene, will burn 1 hour. 50

**THERMOMETERS.** Dreer's Special, \$1.00; Dairy. 25

Tin, japanned, 8-in., 15 cts.; 10-in. 25

" " tested, 8-in., 60 cts.; 10-in., 75 cts.; 12-in. 1.00

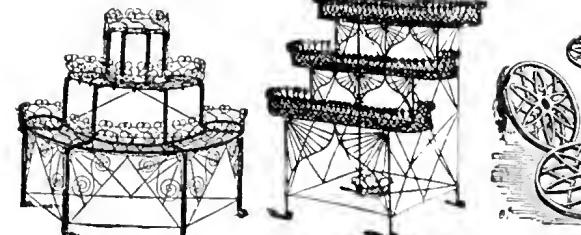
Conservatory, porcelain scale, large figures. 1.00

Self-registering, tin case, \$2.50; all porcelain. 3.00

Hot-bed or Mushroom, iron point, \$1.00; brass point. 1.50

Copper case, tested, 8-in., 85 cts.; 10-in. 1.00

Thermometers shipped at purchaser's risk



WIRE PLANT STANDS.



DREER'S PLANT STAND.



OLE OLSEN LAWN RAKE.

WOOD PLANT STAND.

## STAKES. Light tapering, round, painted green:

	Per doz.	Per 100.		Per doz.	Per 100.
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet.....	\$0.17	\$1.00	3 feet.....	\$0.51	\$3.20
2 " " .....	28	1.70	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	63	4.00
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	39	2.40	4 " " .....	75	4.80

## Heavy Dahlia.—Round, painted green:

	Each.	Per doz.	Per 100.		Each.	Per doz.	Per 100.
3 feet.....	\$0.68	\$5.75	\$48.85	5 feet.....	\$0.12	\$1.25	\$12.50
4 " " .....	10	1.10	6.50	6 " " .....	15	1.55	9.80

Square.—Tapering, painted green, the 3 to 6 feet are suitable for Dahlias and large plants:

	Each.	Per doz.	Per 100.		Each.	Per doz.	Per 100.
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet.....	\$0.02	\$1.12	\$8.85	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	\$0.05	\$0.50	\$3.25
2 " " .....	03	20	1.25	4 " " .....	06	60	4.00
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	03	30	1.75	5 " " .....	08	75	5.50
3 " " .....	04	40	3.00	6 " " .....	10	1.00	6.50

## Plain, unpainted Dowels:

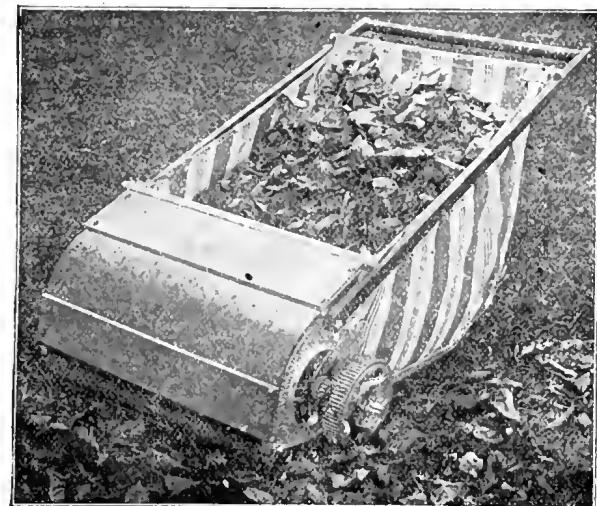
Length.	Diameter.	per doz.	per 100.	per 1000.	per doz.	per 100.	per 1000.
42 inches.	$\frac{1}{4}$ in.	\$0.10	\$10	\$500	\$0.60	60	3000
42 " " .....	$\frac{3}{8}$ in.	15	15	750	75	75	375
42 " " .....	$\frac{5}{8}$ in.	20	20	1000	125	125	625
36 " " .....	$\frac{3}{4}$ in.	10	10	600	60	60	300

## Galvanized Steel, No. 12 Wire.

	Per 100.	Per 1000.		Per 100.	Per 1000.
2 feet.....	\$0.60	\$5.00	4 feet.....	\$1.25	\$10.00
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	75	6.25	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	1.35	12.00
3 " " .....	90	7.75	5 " " .....	1.50	13.00
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " .....	1.10	9.00	6 " " .....	1.75	14.25

Cane, 6 to 8 feet long, per 100, \$1.00.

**THE GEM LAWN CLEANER.** This machine will clean your lawn more thoroughly and quickly than three or four men can do it with hand rakes, and greatly benefit the turf. It leaves the grass standing up straight and strengthens up crab grass and other running weeds so that they will be cut closer by the lawn mower and sooner destroyed. Width, 24 inches. Price, \$15.00. Send for descriptive circular.



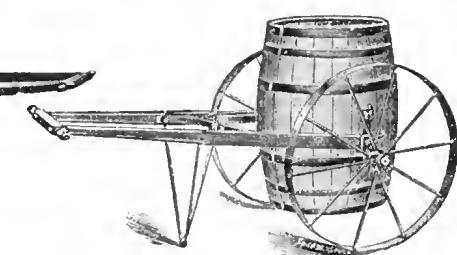


EASTERN  
GARDEN BARROW.

No. 4. Eastern Garden, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$  in. tire, \$3.75; 3-in. tires, \$4.00. No. 5. Eastern Garden, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$  in. tire, \$4.25; 3-in. tires, \$4.50. Special Greenhouse, \$1.50.



TRUCK AND LEAF RACK.



TRUCK AND WATER BARREL.



CEDAR TREE AND  
PLANT TUB.



DREER'S KEYSTONE  
TUB.



WOOD PULP VASES.

WATER BARREL, TRUCK, LEAF RACK, ETC.

Indispensable in all gardens. All attachments fit the trucks, and can be attached or detached in an instant.

Truck and Water Barrel.

With 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. tires.....	\$8.50	With 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. tires.....	\$10.00
" 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. ".....	9.00	" 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. ".....	10.75
" 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. ".....	9.75	" 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. ".....	11.50
Barrel and Trunnions separate.....	2.75	Leaf Rack, alone.....	4.50
Trunnions, per pair.....	.50	Hand Cart Box, alone.....	3.00

Truck and Leaf Rack,  
No. 1.

TREE AND PLANT TUBS. Painted Green, Machine-made.

Made of white cedar, bound with iron hoops. Drop-handles, serving as hooks for carry poles. Iron legs. Removable perforated bottoms. Outside diam. Inside diam. Length of stave.

No. 0, 27 in.	25 in.	21 in.	\$5.00
" 1, 25 in.	23 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	21 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	4.50
" 2, 23 in.	21 in.	20 in.	4.00
" 3, 21 in.	18 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	18 in.	3.50
" 4, 18 in.	16 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	16 in.	2.75
" 5, 16 in.	14 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	14 in.	2.50
" 6, 14 in.	12 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	12 in.	2.00
" 7, 13 in.	11 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	10 in.	1.75
" 8, 12 in.	10 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	1.50

DREER'S IMPROVED KEYSTONE CEDAR PLANT TUBS.

Made of white cedar, painted green and bound with electric-welded wire hoops, which do not rust. Handles supplied with the three largest sizes.

No.	Outside Diam.	Inside Diam.	Length of Stave.	
A.	11 in.	10 in.	12 in.	\$9.75
B.	12 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	11 "	12 "	8.50
C.	13 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	12 "	13 "	1.00
D.	14 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	13 "	14 "	1.25
E.	15 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	14 "	14 "	1.50
F.	16 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	15 "	15 "	1.75

Flower Pots, Saucers,  
Orchid Baskets, etc.



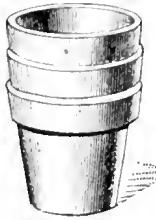
SEED PANS.



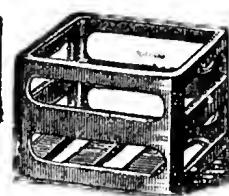
BULB OR LILY PAN.



SAUCER.



WOOD ORCHID BASKET.



EARTHENWARE ORCHID  
BASKET.

STANDARD FLOWER POTS —Full inside measurement, height and width. Six at dozen rates; 50 at 100 rates; 500 at 1000 rates

Sizes.	Dozen.	100.	1000.	Sizes.	Each.	Dozen.	100.	1000.	Sizes.	Each.	Dozen.	100.
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ in.	\$0.06	\$0.44	\$3.46	4 $\frac{1}{4}$ in.	\$0.20	\$1.56	\$12.37		8 in.	\$0.11	\$1.09	\$8.40
2 "	.07	.50	3.96	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.24	1.88	14.85	9 "	16	1.56	12.00	
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.08	.56	4.45	5 "	.32	2.50	19.80	10 "	22	2.11	16.20	
2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.09	.69	5.45	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.41	3.13	24.75	11 "	29	2.81	21.60	
3 "	.11	.88	6.93	6 "	.49	3.75	29.70	12 "	40	3.90	30.00	
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.14	1.06	8.41	6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.62	4.80	44.00	14 "	80	7.80	60.00	
4 "	.18	1.38	10.89	7 "	.78	6.00	55.00	16 "	100	11.00	90.00	

Pot Stands or Saucers.

Sizes.	Dozen.	Sizes.	Dozen.
4 in.	15 cts.	9 in.	\$0.62
5 "	18 "	10 "	78
6 "	24 "	11 "	91
7 "	31 "	12 "	117
8 "	47 "	14 "	195

Earthenware Orchid  
Baskets.

Each.	Dozen.
\$0.15	\$1.35
5 "	20
1.80	14.85
2.25	17.75
3.00	33.00
3.50	41.50

Square Seed Pans.

Each.	Dozen.
\$0.20	\$2.00
2.50	2.50
3.00	3.00
3.50	3.50

Square Wood Orchid Baskets.

Made of cedar and copper wire.	
Each.	Dozen.
\$0.35	\$4.00
45	50
55	60
70	70

Round Bulb or Lily Pans.

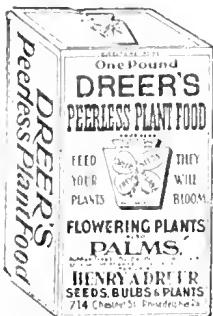
Width.	Height.	Each.	Dozen.	Width.	Height.	Each.	Dozen.
6 in.	3 in.	\$0.07	\$0.68	12 in.	6 in.	\$0.25	\$2.28
7 "	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	.08	78	14 "	7 "	.50	4.55
8 "	4 "	10	98	16 "	8 "	.90	7.80
9 "	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	15	130	18 "	9 "	1.25	11.70
10 "	5 "	20	163				

Wood Pulp Cut Flower Vases.

For displaying cut flowers; neat, attractive and waterproof.
No. Diam. Depth. Each. Doz.
0 8 in. 13 in. \$0.50 \$4.80
1 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " 10 " 45 4.20
2 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " 9 " 40 3.60
3 4 " 6 " 35 3.00
4 3 " 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " 30 2.40
5 2 " 3 " 25 2.00
6 1 " 2 " 20 1.60
7 1 " 1 " 15 1.20
8 1 " 1 " 10 0.80

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**Dreer's Peerless Plant Food.** One of the best and most carefully prepared odorless Plant Foods on the market. Being entirely soluble it is very convenient to use in the house and conservatory. Can be used either in dry or liquid form. Put up in  $\frac{1}{2}$  and 1-lb. packages. Full directions for use with each package. Price, 15 and 25 cts.; by mail, 25 and 40 cts.

**Dreer's Peerless Lawn and Garden Dressing (odorless).** May be applied at any time during the spring, summer or autumn, or as often as the grass seems to need nourishment. 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 10 lbs., 40 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.00; 50 lbs., \$1.75; 100 lbs., \$3.00; 200 lbs., \$5.00; ton, \$15.00.

**Pure Bone Meal.** For giving an immediate effect. 3 lbs., 15 cts.; 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 25 lbs., 75 cts.; 50 lbs., \$1.25; 100 lbs., \$2.00; sack of 200 lbs., \$3.50; ton, \$30.00.

**Pure Ground Bone.** Excellent for grass plots, gardens, etc. Apply 400 to 600 lbs. to the acre. 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 25 lbs., 75 cts.; 50 lbs., \$1.25; 100 lbs., \$2.00; 200-lb. sack, \$3.50; ton, \$30.00.

**Pure Bone Flour.** Excellent for pot plants or beds where an immediate effect is wanted. 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 100 lbs., \$3.00; bbl. of 200 lbs., \$5.00; ton, \$15.00.

**Dreer's Grass and Grain Fertilizer (Ammoniated Bone Phosphate).** We recommend this to be used as a top dressing for grass, also spread when sowing grain. Sack, 200 lbs., \$3.00; ton, \$25.00.

**Canada Hardwood Ashes.** Excellent as a lawn dressing. Apply late in the fall or early in the spring, 1000 to 1500 lbs. per acre. 50 lbs., \$1.00; per bbl., \$2.50; ton, \$18.00.

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**Nitrate of Soda.** 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 25 lbs., \$1.25; 50 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$3.50.

**Tobacco Stems.** An indispensable lawn covering for winter. Imparts large quantities of ammonia and drives away insects and moles. Bbl., \$1.00; bale of about 250 lbs., \$2.00; ton, \$12.00.

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**Arsenate of Lead.** For Elm-leaf-beetle and caterpillars. 1 lb., 25 cts.; 5 lbs., 90 cts.; 10 lbs., \$1.70.

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**Cattle Comfort.** For insects on domestic animals. Qt. can, 45 cts.; gal. can, \$1.15; 5-gal. can, \$5.00.

**Copperine (Paste).** Ammoniacal solution of carbonate of copper. Remedy against fungus, mildew, rust and black rot. Lb., 25 cts., makes 15 gals. liquid; 5 lbs., \$1.00.

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**Grape Dust.** For mould, mildew, or rust mites, either in greenhouses or the open air. 5-lb. pkg., 30 cts.

**Hellebore.** For all insects.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 10 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 25 cts.; 5 lbs., \$1.00.

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**Lemon Oil.** For all insects and scales.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 25 cts.; pt., 40 cts.; qt., 75 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  gal., \$1.25; gal., \$2.00.

**Little's Antipest.** 1-qt. can, 60 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$ -gal. can, \$1.00; 1-gal. can, \$1.75.

**London Purple.**  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 15 cts.; 1 lb., 20 cts.; 5 lbs., 90 cts.

**Nico-Fume.** The best nicotine fumigating paper. Box of 24 sheets, 75 cts.; 144 sheets, \$8.50; 288 sheets, \$6.50.

**Nico-Fume Liquid.** A guaranteed 40 per cent. nicotine solution for fumigating and spraying.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 50 cts.; 1 pt., \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  gal., \$5.50; 1 gal., \$10.50.

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**Nikoteen.** An economical and powerful nicotine extract. One part to 600 of water is sufficiently strong to kill all insects, except scale, for which use 1 to 400. Pt. bottle, \$1.50.

**Persian Insect Powder.** For roaches, ants, fleas, etc.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 15 cts.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30 cts.; 1 lb., 50 cts.

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**Rose Leaf Extract of Tobacco.** A nicotine solution. Pt., 30 cts.; qt., 50 cts.; gal., \$1.25; 5 gals., \$4.25.

**Slug Shot (Hammond's).** One of the cheapest and best powders for destroying insects. 5 lbs., 25 cts.; 10 lbs., 50 cts.; 100 lbs., \$4.25; bbl., 235 lbs., \$8.50; 1-lb. carton, 15 cts.

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**Tobacco Soap (Dreer's).** For plants, trees, cattle and all insect-infested animals.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25 cts.; 10 lbs., bulk, \$3.00.

**Tree Tanglefoot.** The best remedy against caterpillars and all tree insects. Will not injure the tree. Will remain sticky for three months. Easily applied. 1 lb., 25 cts.; 4 lbs., 90 cts.; 10 lbs., \$2.00.

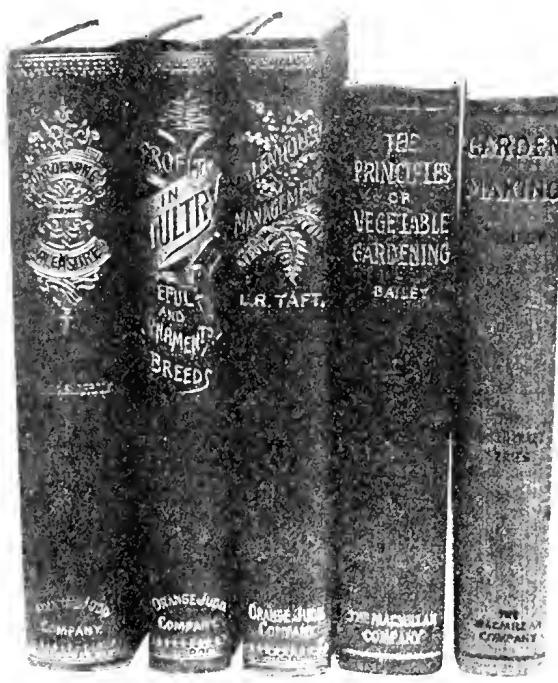
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